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COMMUNITY CHRISTMAS TREAT WELL PRESENTED

The biggest day and the biggest event in all the year for the children of Blairmore was successfully ushered through on the evening of Friday, December the 19th, when upwards of six hundred children and almost as many grownups packed the opera house to overflowing.

A splendid programme had been prepared by the various school classes, under direction of the teachers, and in part was as follows:

Grades 6 and 7, pupils of Miss Cox and Tompkins, chorus, "Silent Night" and "Noel."

Grade 1, pupils of Mrs. Fleming, medley, "Decorating the Christmas Tree" and "Santa's Helpers."

Grade 1, pupils of Miss Valesco, chorus, "Away in a Manger," recitation, "Tommy's Troubles," by Muriel Jones; song, "Lullaby," by four girls; song, "The Wooden Soldier's Parade," by Billie Royle.

Grade 2, pupils of Miss Fisher, play, "Santa's Toy Shop," violin solo by Evan Gushul; dance by Polly Gushul.

Grades 1, 2 and 3, West End school, pupils of Miss Cameron, play, "Mother Goose's Christmas."

Grade 3, pupils of Miss Brunetto, dances, "A Clap Dance," chorus, "Santa Claus Song," recitation by Jimmie Murphy.

Grade 4, pupils of Miss McVey, musical drill.

Grade 5, pupils of Miss Warner, dances, "Butterfly Dance," and comedy, "The Comical Coons."

Grade 8, pupils of Miss Frey, song, "A Ducky Song," by Marnie Hamilton and Clifford Chappell, violin accompaniment.

Added to the above was a number of Scottish airs on the bagpipes, by Miss McVey.

The chair was occupied by Mr. Bran Morgan, who introduced the proxy of St. Nicholas in the person of Mr. D. Campe, who in a very efficient manner attended to the various expectations of the little tots.

The committee in charge of the event desire through The Enterprise to thank all who assisted, financially or otherwise, towards its success. Particularly would they thank the teachers for the very excellent programme presented.

A complete list of donations, etc., will appear in a later issue.

BELLEVUE RUNNER A RECORD BREAKER

In the Calgary Herald road race on Christmas day, the twenty-five year record was easily beaten by Hartington Anderson, of Prince Albert, Saskatchewan, who made the course in 33 minutes 6 and 3/5 seconds. The old record was beaten by four of the thirty-eight runners, including Charlie Corners, of Bellevue.

The medal winners were: 1, H. Anderson, Prince Albert; 2, W. Jerome Platt, Brant, Alta; 3, Jack Wahlberg, Saskatoon; 4, Charlie Corners, Bellevue, Alta; 5, Johnny Kerr, Passburg, Alta; 6, T. Fitzsimmons, High River, Alta.

Conditions were ideal for the biggest event of its kind in Western Canada, as the footing was good and weather perfect.

Jack Wahlberg was seeking to win the major trophy for the third time, thereby to own it outright.

A Christmas Present
Judge: "You are charged with being drunk and also acting disorderly on Christmas Eve. What is your name?"
Prisoner: "Donald Angus McLennan."

Judge: "Oh, and who bought you the whiskey?"
George H. Webster, M.L.A., of Calgary, has been named Liberal house leader.

KETTLE VALLEY RAILWAY LINE STATUS CHANGED

WINNIPEG, Dec. 26.—Effective January 1, the Kettle Valley Railway, running between Hope on the main line of the Canadian Pacific Railway to Midway, where it connects with the Nelson division, and serving a large and important section of southern British Columbia, will disappear as a separate entity and become a division of the Canadian Pacific Railway.

The Kettle Valley Railway, which is controlled and operated by the Canadian Pacific, will hereafter be known as the Kettle Valley division of the British Columbia district, under C. A. Cotterell, general superintendent, Mr. Coleman's announcement said. T. A. Crump, who has been superintendent of the Kettle Valley at Penticton for several years, remains as superintendent of the new Canadian Pacific division.

A. V. LANG PASSES AWAY AT VANCOUVER

Word reaches us of the death of August V. Lang, which occurred at his residence, 5270 Marguerite Avenue, Vancouver, on Monday, December the 22nd, in his fifty-eighth year.

Deceased will be remembered by the old timers of the Crows' Nest Pass as being at one time connected with a prosperous general mercantile business at Frank in the good old days of the slide and a few years following, when Frank was the hub of The Pass. He had been a resident of Vancouver for the past eighteen years, and is survived by his loving wife and one daughter, Mrs. Margaret Miller; also one grandchild, Betty Lou.

Funeral took place on Wednesday, December the 23rd, the remains being laid to rest in the Ocean View burial park, Vancouver.

C. B. HOWE HAS MARVELLOUS ESCAPE

Mr. C. B. Howe, one of the engineers at the Provincial Training School, had a marvellous escape from death on Sunday afternoon, when he and his car went over the Red Deer river bank on the Burnt Lake road, 100 feet to the river below. He was thrown out as the car went over, and he dropped and rolled down, but fortunately escaped with a bruising of one shoulder and one leg, which laid him up for a day or two. The car was completely wrecked on the ice below—one of the worst looking wrecks seen around Red Deer.

Mr. Howe was driving west about 4.45 p.m. and when 2 1/2 miles out his right front tire, it is believed, went flat and the car swung over the ditch 15 to 20 feet across the sward and over the bank. Mr. Howe had one door fastening defective, and he had delayed getting it fixed. When the car went over the edge before the fence, the door fell open and he was thrown out of the car, and dropped down into the soft dirt forty feet below, which had crumbled from the bank. The car and Mr. Howe rolled down the bank separately to the river, the car crashing on to the ice and stepping a few feet out. Fortunately Mr. Howe escaped with one shoulder bruised, his pants torn and one leg cut. He was able to make his way up the bank through a draw to the trees by the road, and he tried, without avail, to halt several cars in the darkening evening, but Mr. Sam Blakely and family, about six o'clock, decided to stop their car and investigate Mr. Howe's raising of his arm, picked him up and drove him to town.

The Howe car was a Durant coupe of 1930, bought three months ago, and was insured with the Ocean Accident Insurance Co.

A great number drove out on Monday to investigate the place of the crash over the river bank. Owing to

the condition of the car, it was difficult to determine what was the cause of the car swinging to the left from the road and over the bank.—Red Deer Advocate.

[Mr. Howe is the youngest son of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Howe, of Blairmore].

OLD TIMER ANSWERS CALL

Another old timer of The Pass, in Bellevue cemetery on Saturday afternoon the person of James Beal, passed, noon, the funeral being very largely away suddenly at Bellevue on the attended.

meaning of Christmas Day, at the ripe age of seventy-eight.

Mr. Beal had attended a family gathering the night previous, and at a late hour complained of feeling unwell. Medical aid was summoned, but the old man passed away in a short time.

His wife and several sons and daughters, survive.

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Town of Blairmore

TO WATER CONSUMERS

Please be advised that, owing to lack of water from the reservoir, river water is now being pumped into the distribution system. It is recommended that water for domestic use be boiled.

CHAIRMAN OF WATERWORKS.

GRADE VIII EXAMINATIONS

The following are listed in order of merit:

Eva Erikson, Richard North, Billie Irvine, Augusta Canet, Revie Walker, Connie Claringbarn, Tom Crowder, Carol Christi, Norman Davis, Marnie Hamilton, Charlie Hayes, Elenore Nastasi, Vera Lord, Violet Galeotti, Beatrice Cartwright, Irene Lieskovsky, Enis Aschacher, Doris Sartoris, Margaret Kubik, June Smith, Harold Lund, Sylvia Lund, Edwin Peters, Clifford Chappell, Jack Pratt, Lucienne Bazille, Noel Peters, Jack Scott, Henry Lencucha, Peter McPherson, Arthur Hales, Eda Martini, Norman Picard, Charles Bagan, George Snod.

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WORLD HAPPENINGS
BRIEFLY TOLD

E. C. Miville, secretary to the governor-general of Canada, will proceed to India with Lord Willingdon to his new post.

World-wide reduction of armaments as an obligation under the terms of the Treaty of Versailles has been urged by the Carnegie endowment for international peace.

In a recent month automobiles registered in England numbered 17,846, an increase of 725 over the corresponding month of the previous year.

A man beat a horse in a 15,000 meter race at Temuco, Chile. The victor was Felix Saavedra, an Aracanian Indian. He led the horse by 100 meters at the finish.

Dr. Arthur Torrence, of London, England, fellow of the Royal Society of Great Britain, has announced plans for an expedition in February to Africa, in which he said he hoped to determine the origin of the race.

An official return just issued shows that the majority of the 320 pilots attached to the Royal Flying Corps, England, had net average incomes approaching, or more than, £1,000 during 1929.

Professor Werner Brockhardt, with a European assistant, fell into the crater of the volcano Mergul in Sumatra at the moment that it became suddenly eruptive, and perished in the boiling lava.

Michael Finnerty, 104 years of age, died at Duncan, B.C., December 20. He was one of British Columbia's pioneers, having resided in the province for 67 years, the greater part of which was spent on Vancouver Island.

Twenty-six thousand one-pound cans of freshly packed salmon were donated to Seattle's needy citizens as a general relief program was launched there to aid the destitute and unemployed. The salmon—13 tons of it—was donated by salmon packers and distributed by welfare organizations and institutions.

You Never Can Tell

No Matter How Badly You Feel You May Be Able To Fool the Doctors

The death has taken place of William Macquie, an Irishman, at the age of 93, who retired from the Indian civil service in 1870, on the advice of his doctor that his health would not stand the strain of serious work.

There is a solicitor named James Underhill, of Wolverhampton, England, now in his 98th year, who, seventy-five years ago, was refused insurance of any kind. Mr. Underhill rode a bicycle until he was 83, played the flute in public at 90, survived an attack of pneumonia the same year, broke a leg and made a good recovery at the age of 94, and up to the present year transacted his business, sometimes signing documents at the rate of one hundred an hour.

A layman has to place reliance on what his doctor tells him. But these cases just show that even if that worthy hints you have one foot in the grave, there may be a few good kicks left in you yet.

Berlin-Moscow Air Service

The Berlin-Moscow and Berlin-Leningrad daily air service has closed down until next spring. During their operation 2,860 passengers were carried, 27,145 kilograms of mail and 60,000 kilograms of freight, an increase over the previous year of 12 per cent. in passengers, 80 per cent. in mail, but a decrease of 25 per cent. in freight.

Tree Plantation Inspections

The inspectors of tree plantations sent out from the Dominion Forest Nursery Station, maintained by the forest service of the Department of the Interior, at Indian Head, Saskatchewan, made 13,305 inspections during the 1919 season.



"Why didn't you receive me on January 1st?"
"I was in my bath when you called."

"No, I am speaking of this year."
—Journal Amusant, Paris.

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Inter-Empire Trade

Reference Made in London, England, To Conference To Be Held At Ottawa

Asked in the British House of Commons about the British government's intentions in regard to the subject of Empire reciprocal tariff preferences and the Ottawa economic conference next year, J. H. Thomas, secretary for the Dominions, declared the government was taking further steps to study the problem of closer economic co-operation within the Empire.

Regarding the scope of the Ottawa conference, Mr. Thomas invited the House's attention to the resolution recommended to the last Imperial conference by the heads of delegations, dealing with the preparations for the Ottawa conference. This set forth that while matters left over by the Imperial conference would be dealt with at Ottawa, the Ottawa conference would not be limited to such subjects.

Crop Insurance

New Legislation To Be Introduced In the Saskatchewan House.

Legislation to empower companies that so desire, to write crop insurance along the line of hail insurance, will be introduced at the coming session of the Saskatchewan legislative assembly.

Announcement to this effect was made by Hon. J. F. Bryant, K.C., minister in charge of the Saskatchewan Insurance act recently. Crop insurance has been widely discussed by the farmers of the province and has led to the government move.

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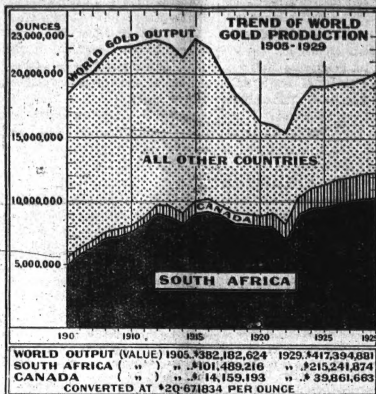
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World Gold Production, 1905-1929

Few economic questions are being more keenly discussed throughout the world today than that of the supply of gold for monetary use. In this subject Canada has a double interest—her interest as a gold-producing country, and also as a trading nation vitally concerned with anything and everything that is fundamental to world prosperity.

While most of the discussion has centered upon the need for better distribution and use of the existing stocks of gold, there has been also a note of real anxiety over the possibility of an actual shortage of gold supplies. This anxiety arises from an anticipated early drop in South Africa's output. As the accompanying diagram indicates, the burden of maintaining the level of world gold production during the last twenty-five years has been borne in



ever-increasing degree by South Africa. The total gold output of the rest of the world had fallen by nearly 30 per cent. in 1929 as contrasted with 1905.

One point of special interest from the Canadian standpoint is the fact that, in the writings of almost all students of the gold situation, little or no importance has been attached to Canada's rising output. It is true that the Dominion's production has never bulked largely in the world's total output, but it has grown, and is continuing to grow, substantially. With gold being produced in larger quantities either from gold properties or from huge ore bodies in which gold is associated with other metals, it may well be that Canadian resources are destined to play a much more prominent part than has yet been foreseen, in offsetting the expected depletion of the South African goldfields and the threatened embarrassment of the world's monetary system.

Fatal Mistakes Of Hunters

Should Be Considered Manslaughter, Is Opinion Of Game Commissioner.

Prosecution on manslaughter charges of all hunters killing humans in mistakes for big game in Saskatchewan will be recommended to the Attorney-General by A. E. Etter, commissioner of the game branch of the Department of Railways, Labor and Industries, Regina.

Intimation to this effect was made by the game commissioner following a report of the shooting of Ernest Johnson of Beatty, by Russell Federsfeld, at Nipawin, on Nov. 28. The game commissioner pointed out that no prosecutions had been instituted by his knowledge charging manslaughter under similar circumstances in any previous cases in Saskatchewan this year.

The game commissioner also advocates the licensing of big game hunters on shooting and mental ability instead of under the present system.

St. Lawrence Navigation

Efforts Are Being Made To Lengthen Season For Shipping

Further efforts by the Department of Marine to lengthen the season of shipping on the St. Lawrence, will be made this winter, it was stated by Major N. B. McLean, chief engineer of the department. When the ice has thickened to the depth of a foot, the ice breakers will set to work to open a channel and it will be kept open as long as possible in the hope that in the spring, long before the main body of ice has moved out, this channel will be navigable. Opening of this channel would also tend to relieve the spring flood danger in Montreal and vicinity.

Will Grow More Wheat

Soviet Russia Contemplates Increasing Wheat Acreage

The United States Department of Agriculture was informed that Soviet Russia contemplates an increase of 10 per cent. in her wheat acreage to be seeded next spring above this year's total.

The foreign agricultural information office at Berlin advised that the present intentions of Russia called for seeding 818,807,600 acres.

The acreage sown in Prussia and Germany up to the early part of December was reported as 6.8 per cent. greater than a year ago; but a decrease of 10.2 per cent. was noted in Germany's rye acreage.

Sand which can be used in making brown and amber glass is obtained from the Pacific Coast, but for white glass sand is still chiefly imported from Belgium.

Novel Type Of Vehicle

Can Run As Omnibus On Rubber Tires Or On Railway Track

A novel type of vehicle adaptable for either road or rail, which is to be tested within the next few weeks near London, England, may revolutionize transport methods.

It is manufactured by a Huddersfield firm of commercial vehicle makers.

Whist on the road it resembles an omnibus and runs on rubber tires. In 30 seconds railway carriage wheels can be fitted, and it will travel on the track at 60 miles an hour.

The London, Midland and Scottish Railway Company are co-operating with the firm in the tests.

Fishing For Tuna

Sport fishing for tuna, the 700-pound species of the mackerel tribe, off the coast of Nova Scotia has proved a most popular pastime this past year.

SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON

JANUARY 4

THE BIRTH OF JOHN THE BAPTIST

Golden Text: "Thou shalt go before the face of the Lord to make ready His way."—Luke 1:76.
Lesson: Luke 1.
Devotional Reading: Luke 1:68-79.

Explanations and Comments

The Preface to Luke's Gospel verses 1-4.—Luke himself, he tells us, was a careful historian, who obtained his information from those who were eyewitnesses of the events he records. The Birth Of John The Baptist Foretold, verses 5-15.—When the time came for Zacharias' group to officiate in the temple, lots were cast, as was customary, to determine which priest should offer the incense. "No priest might have this honor twice; and the number of priests was no great that many never offered the incense." The burning of the incense was "the highest mediatorial act of the most solemn part of the day's service, symbolizing Israel's accepted prayers, and the priest who had this privilege was ever afterwards called 'rich.' The coveted lot fell to Zacharias.

When Zacharias entered the Holy Place, the people stood without in the temple court, praying. The altar of incense was in the Holy Place in front of the curtains which shut off the Holy of Holies. On its right stood the table of shewbread, and on its left the golden candlestick. The two assistants whom Zacharias had chosen, as was the custom, each performed the part assigned to him: one removed what had been left on the altar from the service of the evening and departed backward. The other, who remained behind the altar and then left, Zacharias was alone. He advanced with the golden censer and spread the incense on the glowing coals. At that solemn moment, our record says, an angel of the Lord appeared to him.

"Thou smilest at tale of seraphim's mysteries?"

God sends the angels, thou must bring the eye."—Langbridge.

Zacharias was troubled and fearful. "Fear not," were the words he heard, and then came the promise that should his supplication had been heard he should have a son whom he should call John. "John," means Jehovah's Gift, or God is Gracious. Although Zacharias had, no doubt, often prayed for a son, it is natural to suppose that his prayer in the temple at this time had been for the coming of the Messiah, whose herald the son was to be. Dr. Plummer comments that the "and" (and thy wife shall bear thee a son) may mean that this is an additional boon, which is to prepare the way for the blessing prayed for and granted, and thus, like Solomon, Zacharias received the hand blessing for which he prayed, and also the lower blessing for which perhaps he did not pray at this time.

The Character and Mission Of John, verses 14-17.—The son promised to Zacharias would bring joy and gladness not only to him but to many, for he would be truly great—great in the sight of the Lord.

Royalty Buys R.C. Poultry

His Imperial Majesty, the Emperor of Japan, is the most recent large customer for British Columbia pure bred poultry, having bought pedigreed stock from R.O.P. Co-Operative Association of Vancouver to the value of \$4,500.

John Mayow published the first comprehensive treatise on the atmosphere in 1674.

Static Stopped
Radio Cooking

Interesting Demonstration By Electric Wizard Falls At Critical Moment

Radio cooking static made its first public appearance in New York recently.

It interfered with popping a bag of corn in the presence of 1,300 diners at a luncheon of the New York Merchants' Association.

Just before the luncheon the radio cookstove was working perfectly under the direction of General Electric Company wizards. A test paper sack of corn placed between two jars of ice water to make sure there was no warmth in the air, popped perfectly by the heat generated within the kernels by radio.

But at the luncheon in the expectant hush of the audience something went wrong. It was just what might be expected of static. No corn popped.

Frozen Light, one of the queer new discoveries of science, also was exhibited and worked perfectly.

This light was frozen into the surface of a mineral screen at Schenectady and brought to New York in a bottle of liquid air at 312 degrees below zero.

The screen, lifted up before the diners in darkness, was at first just a black dot. But as it thawed its face burst into all the colors of the rainbow, which chased each other across the surface in luminous billows.

A Striking Phrase

Sir Robert Borden Uses Striking Sentence At Meeting Of League Of Nations

A phrase used by Sir Robert Borden, Canadian delegate to the last meeting of the League of Nations assembly, was repeated in the British House of Commons by Hugh Dalton, under-secretary for foreign affairs.

One of the most striking phrases used at Geneva during the debate was that of Sir Robert who, returning after a 12 years' absence, looked around him and said: "The nations seem all to have renounced war, but they have not yet renounced armaments."

"That went to the root of the matter," Mr. Dalton added.

Plane Will Carry "Pay Load"

The first attempt of a heavier-than-air machine to fly across the Atlantic with a pay load will be made soon in the "plane 'Trade Wind' over the Bermuda-Ascar route. The 'plane will carry two pilot-navigators and will be equipped with pontoons for landing on water.

Manitoba Egg Laying Contest

White Wyandottes owned by W. T. Shaw, of Brandon, led the Manitoba egg laying contest at the Brandon experimental farm at the end of the third week. This pen led for both total and weekly production, the total being 84.1 points and 92 eggs.

The young of the blue heron are white the first year.

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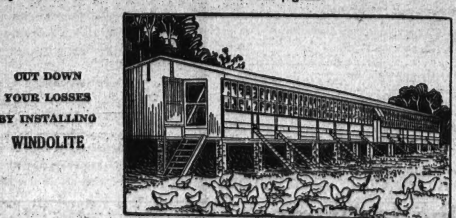
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CHAPTER VII.—Continued.

Later, as they walked back to Elm Street, Nick pushing the go-cart, and Simeon holding the umbrella, Nick said: "I wish you'd take Gay home with you, Uncle Sim. She's not here. It can't help feeling worried. The other night—" He paused for a moment, while the old man watched him from beneath half-closed lids, "she—she got upset by— Well, our next door neighbor was singing. I suppose the music stirred Gay up. It was rather that sort, and she was feeling particularly tired. When we went inside she—she—I thought she'd never stop. It was scared blue. It didn't seem quite natural for a mere song to upset her as much as that."

"Did it upset you, boy?" questioned Simeon, his eyes still on Nick's face.

Nick laughed, a short, nervous laugh, and answered: "Well, perhaps it did—a little. I was feeling restless anyhow. It had been a hot day, and the apple blossoms smelled so sweet and—"

"You got pinin' for that broad highway you used to talk about?" queried the old man.

A guilty smile hovered on Nick's lips.

"Only for a few minutes, sir. It's not often I think about it these days; but that night—"

"M-m," murmured Simeon. "Your wife knows you pretty well, don't she?"

Nick raised surprised eyes.

"Why, of course. Who should know me, if not Gay?"

"No one, so far as I know. But ain't it possible that she wa'n't so much upset by the music, as she was by knowin' that the music had upset you?"

Nick stood stock still.

"Why-it-it never occurred to me," he said.

"Well, if you was to ask my advice, I'd say maybe you better think about that side o' it. Tain't every man's got a wife like Gay."

"I'll go you one better there, Uncle Sim," said Nick heartily. "I'm the only man in the world with a wife like Gay. The Lord never made a double. But she needs a change. I've known it for some time. Since Janey Maxwell married and left town Gay's been lonely. I'd hoped our new neighbors would supply the want, but she and Mrs. Halliday don't seem to hit it off very well."

"What alas Mrs. Halliday?" asked Uncle Sim; and Nick laughed at the old man's assumption that the fault couldn't possibly be Gay's.

"Nothing, that I can see. It was she talking with me at the bank when you came in—a pretty little woman in a blue gown. She always wears blue—says it matches her eyes. Pretty eyes, too—travelling. Innocent variety. Gay says they're too innocent, but I think she doesn't do the woman justice."

"She got any malar?" asked the old man suddenly.

"Yes—a cynical about twice her age."

"Maybe those innocent blue eyes is what made him cynical," chuckled Simeon Bartlett. "Seems like I've heard of such things sometimes havin' effect. Well, here we be. You set that ice cream in the coldest spot you can find, Nick, and I'll see to Sonny. I'll be home hungry. Didn't have time for no proper breakfast before I started."

During the meal that followed (and despite Uncle Sim's warning, Gay had a batch of the corn muffins she

know he liked), the question of the visit to State Lane was broached again.

"You've got to go, dear," said Nick firmly. "I'll do you a world of good, and I'll come for Sundays. It will be a wonderful excuse for me to get away myself."

"Will you come this Sunday?" asked Gay wistfully. She felt relieved at leaving him at all.

"It's Thursday now, my dear," Nick answered, smiling, "and you can't get off till tomorrow. I'll give you one week of freedom from my company. And you needn't worry about me. Gay, I told Mrs. Halliday I was sending you away, and she suggested my going with you on your trip some Sunday, so I'll be provided for."

"That's very kind of her," said Gay; but her voice was cold, and Nick, rising, went round the table to kiss her cheek.

"If you think," he said, "if you think for one minute that I prefer an auto trip with the Hallidays, to a Sunday at Uncle Sim's with you and the kids, why you haven't the sense I give you credit for. But it was kind of Mrs. Halliday to ask me. You must be fair to her, Gay. She just took pity on me. She says Halliday's like a lost soul when she's away."

"And then," said Uncle Sim, in a tactful effort to clear the atmosphere, "I suppose he sets him down and writes one of them cynical stories that makes a man want to get out of his faze and cut his throat! But Nick's right, dearie, you need a change o' scene; and I need company some'ner. I got a good woman doctor for me now, and you won't have to raise yer hand except to see to the babies; and if I'm not mistaken you'll find me some help here. You can stay as long as you want, and I won't urge you to stay a minute longer. As for Nick—maybe live in bachelor's hall for a spell will make him appreciate his blessing!"

Nick laughed.

"You bet it will! But I'll try not to mess things up too much, Gay. Don't let that bother you."

"She ain't got to let a darn thing worry her," announced Simeon. "Say, Nick, I'm not goin' to drag them babies forty miles by train in this weather. Is there a man in this peckish town who'll carry 'em over in an auto, mobile—no, a Lizzie, mind you, but somethin' that's got springs? If so I'll interview him this afternoon."

"San Hilton's got a good car. He's a good driver, too. I wouldn't trust my family to everybody's driving over those hills. You make him go, alright, Uncle Sim. He can spend all he wants on his way back. Gee! I wish I were going with you!"

"M-m," muttered Simeon; then, glancing at Sonny he said softly: "Look, folks! that baby's asleep over his ice cream!"

It was true. Sonny's head had lolled forward, and his eyes were closed.

"That comes of skipping his morning nap," said Gay. "Poor little man! I'll carry him upstairs."

But Nick was ahead of her, lifting the boy gently.

"Put him in our bed," she whispered. "Baby's still sleeping in the nursery. Well," she added, as Nick left the room, "if Sonny sleeps a while I'll be free to do my packing. I've a pile of mending a mile high."

"Let it be," said Simeon, "and mend it after you get off. Now if you'll put away the left-over victuals (that's one thing my old woman never let me do), Nick and me'll wash up these dishes. And then I'll go back down town with him and see about gettin' transportation. Gorry! I feel like I was startin' out for foreign parts, takes a whole family along like this! Sometimes I wonder what I did do 'fore I had you and Nick go to bother with."

Gay smiled. The old man's happiness in the thought of her visit was contagious.

"And I wonder how we'd manage without you to fall back on times like this. I wish we could repay you, Uncle Sim."

"What about all them Christmases and Thanksgivins I've spent with you?" he said gently. "Guess you don't owe me nothin', Gay. Here, Nick, you tackle that fish pan and I'll give. If you're late back I'll make it right with the boss. Ain't you got nothin' but crackers an' milk for supper, Gay. Nothin' tastes much better on a night, and it's a good practice for Nick—eatin' light don't believe he'll get him no roasts o' beef while you're off visitin'!"

"I'll devour the left-overs," Nick answered, as he rolled up his sleeves, and then patting the village house down town with him in his hand, he said on Sunday, Uncle Sim, I shall have the appetite of a wolf."

"Now don't you go an' get all het up hurryin'," advised Simeon, as he and Nick were departing for the heart of Main Street. "We don't need to start any special time; and my old woman used to say nothin' tired her out like rushin' round tryin' to get somewhere on schedule. Just you go

down an' easy like, and maybe I'll have a surprise for you come supper time."

"This seems to be a day of surprises," Gay answered. "If any one had told me this morning that before noon I'd be preparing to desert my husband, I wouldn't have believed him. I don't feel quite right about it even now."

Nick smiled—put his hand beneath her chin—lifted her face and kissed her. He stepped outside, then came back to perform the life-line. Simeon beamed upon them.

"That's right," he said. "Better keep goin' while the gods' good!" and opening his huge umbrella he cordially turned his back.

(To Be Continued.)

Wealth Of British People

Figures Show Over Ninety Billion All Saved Since War

Sir Joseph Stamp, who is president of the Royal Statistical Society of Great Britain, and who is also a recognized authority on national finance, has given his estimate of the wealth of the British people. He sets it down at \$90,225,000,000. The nation, he says, spent the whole of its savings for five years on war, and over one-quarter of its original investments, and has saved since the war at the rate of \$2,375,000,000 per annum.

This indicates two things in particular—extensive economic potentialities, and a substantial recovery of strength since the war ended. Of course against the total savings during the post-war period must be set the loss of the war period, when no real saving was being made, and when nearly all capital was depreciated. But even after that the net result is distinctly encouraging something that should act as a corrective to pessimism. To Sir Joseph Stamp's own phrasing:

"The wonder is that a nation staggering under such a tremendous burden of debt and of taxation as Britain is today, can save anything at all. A less virtuous people would have given way under the double strain. But the Britons endure, plod on and saves. There seems to have been a new economic factor developing in the Old Country since the dawn of the twentieth century, and not even the holocaust of war has been powerful enough to destroy it. Those who are ever seeking to prophesy the approaching disintegration of the British Empire from the centre-outwards might well pause and give the matter another thought in the light of these facts."

Opposition From Both Sides

Annexation Of Canada and United States Would Present Difficulties

The Detroit Free Press says: "If the question of annexation ever should arise seriously, there would be fully as much opposition on this side of the border as there would be on the other side, and perhaps more. Consolidation of the two nations which make up English-speaking North America would be a fearfully difficult thing, and the ultimate success of the undertaking would be extremely uncertain. There would be clashes of ideas, clashes of standards, clashes of tradition and clashes of general viewpoint toward life which could be reconciled only by the exercise of almost infinite wisdom and almost infinite patience, and whatever may be the equipment of the people of Canada, the people of the United States certainly have neither."

Freezing Falls To Kill

Fish and many insects can be frozen without destroying life. Caterpillars, according to entomologists, regularly live after being frozen during the winter. One investigator from the grubs of the species known as daddy-long-legs, until they would readily break; and those not broken survived. Fish have been frozen in solid ice without killing them.

Canada's Forest Wealth

In the latest official estimate of Canada's national wealth, a value of over \$1,868,000,000 is placed upon the forests of the Dominion, including the accessible raw materials, pulpwood, and capital invested in woods operations."

Manitoba Silica

Deposits of silica sand, possibly suitable for glass manufacture, are found on the shores of Lake Winnipeg, Manitoba, as well as at Beaseau, about 20 miles south of the lake.

Nearly 375,000 people are employed in the cotton industry in Bombay Presidency, India.

A friend in need is a surprise indeed.

The man with too much common sense misses a lot of fun.

Important Discovery By Russian Professor

Expects To Make Transmission Of Electricity Much Cheaper

Backed by the Royal Society and the British Government with money and all the appliances he needs, a Russian professor, Dr. Peter Kapitza, is carrying on work at Cambridge which is expected to result in an electrical discovery that will simplify and cheapen the transmission of current through thousands of miles of submarine cables, "third rails" and the vast net work of wires supplying homes and light to factories and homes.

Dr. Kapitza is carrying out experiments of an almost fantastic magnitude. Among them are the discharging of gigantic pulsations of electricity through materials from so cold that a special plant for the production of liquid hydrogen has been built so as to produce temperatures lower than those produced by liquid air. And a comparison with the temperatures used would make a polar blizzard seem only a trifle colder than a midsummer's day.

If the resistance of metals to the passage of electrical current could be reduced only 5 per cent, it would be of colossal importance to electric corporations. Dr. Kapitza believes it is possible to solve the problem of the resistance of metals to electricity and in the future conduct electricity great distances without present day losses.

Preliminary arrangements have been made to install a liquid helium plant when Dr. Kapitza requires still lower temperatures.

Artist Started Something

Curtailed His Expenses and Action Proved a Boomerang

Across the editorial desk from some unremembered source came a little bit of French allegory.

It portrayed painter at his favorite cafe sipping his wine. His first small bottle finished, he was told to order more when his eye fell on a headline in the Figaro, "Hard Times Are Coming," so, instead of ordering his usual second bottle, he ordered only one.

"Is there anything wrong with the wine?" asked the landlord.

"The wine is good, but I did not order a second bottle because hard times are coming and we must economize," explained the artist. "Hard times," said the landlord. "Then my wife must not order the silk dress we planned, but must take one of cotton."

"Then my wife must not order the dressmaker when the time is cancelled. This is no time to expand. I must not make the improvements I had planned in the place."

"After receiving the letter the artist went again to his favorite cafe and ordered a small bottle of wine to soothe him. On a nearby chair was the paper in which he had read of hard times two days before. He picked it up to read more closely and found it was two years old."

Propose Goodwill Flight

Capt. Boyd, Trans-Atlantic Flyer, May Make Flight To South America

The Canadian Government is considering a proposal to send Captain J. Errol Boyd, Toronto trans-Atlantic aviator, on a goodwill flight to South America next spring, according to a news story appearing in the Montreal Gazette. The flight will coincide with the British Empire trade fair to be opened in Buenos Aires by the Prince of Wales, March 14.

The Gazette states further: "Although no definite decision was taken, it was explained that financial backing for the mission may be forthcoming. The many advantages of such a flight were detailed to the cabinet by Senator Skelton who has been working in connection with the Canadian Chamber of Commerce and Canadian Manufacturers Association in attracting public attention to this notable exhibition."

Demand For Ayrshire Cattle

"The Royal Winter Fair still maintains its reputation as being not only the great show window for Ayrshire breeders but also as one of the best market places for Ayrshire cattle," says a report of the Canadian Ayrshire Breeders' Association, which gives a detailed synopsis of the successes achieved by this breed of cattle.

Breads made of ostrich-egg shell are worn by bushmen of Africa.

All margarine plants in the Netherlands are operating at capacity.

Electric Ear Detects Noise

Invention Will Be Invaluable In Locating Trouble On Machinery

An electric ear with which engineers hope to reduce noise has been demonstrated publicly for the first time at Pittsburgh.

This method of noise abatement consists merely in causing two sound waves to interfere. A big obstacle has been the human ear's inability to separate complex noises sufficiently for engineers to find out which one to set against the other.

The electric ear, it was announced, promises to overcome this handicap. Weighing 60 pounds, the size of a suitcase, its method of attaching to and "listening" to a noisy machine was demonstrated at the Westinghouse research laboratories by J. P. Foltz, Westinghouse inventor.

"In a somewhat different application it is also hoped that in the future this new portable ear may be used as an advanced fault-finder for airplane motors and propellers," said Foltz.

Recipes For This Week

(By Betty Barclay)

CHOCOLATE BREAD PUDDING

- 1 package chocolate flavored instant pudding.
- 2 slices whole wheat bread — $\frac{3}{4}$ inch thick.
- Butter.
- Pink raisins.

Remove crusts from bread, butter lightly and cut in small cubes. Divide the cubed bread among 4 dessert dishes and add a few seeded raisins. Prepare junket according to directions on package. Pour at once over bread and mix in warm room until firm—about 10 minutes. Then chill.

CINNAMON APPLES

- 1 junket tablet.
- 6 medium sized apples.
- 1 cup sugar.
- $\frac{1}{2}$ teaspoon vanilla.
- 1 pint milk.
- 3 tablespoons red cinnamon candies.
- 1 tablespoon lemon juice.

Peel and core apples and place in baking pan. Make a syrup by boiling the junket (except 3 tablespoons which is used for the junket), water and cinnamon candies together for 5 minutes and add lemon juice. Pour syrup over apples and bake until tender, basting several times. Place apples in individual dishes, filling the center of each apple with syrup. When cooled, and the syrup has jellied, prepare junket according to directions on package and fill dishes. Let stand a warm room until firm. Then chill.

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Preference For Dominions

British Government Gives a Preference To Tenders From Empire

It is the practice of British government departments, in the case of public contracts to give a preference to tenders from the dominions and colonies, as compared with tenders from foreign countries, but only within reasonable limits. This was the reply of the secretary to the treasury, P. W. Petthick-Lawrence, to a question in the British House of Commons, who asked whether any preference was exercised in favor of supplies from the Empire and Overseas possessions, even where such supplies were not the cheapest available.

Many mothers have reason to bless Mother Gravel Worms Externalizer, because it has relieved the little ones of suffering and made them healthy.

Prize For Barley and Wheat

At the recent Royal Winter Fair at Toronto, W. Nesbitt, of Super, Saskatchewan, won first prize with Saskatoon barley registered and second prize with Marquis Wheat registered.

Suffered From Heart Trouble

Became Weak and Run Down

Mrs. Wm. Dieck, Glenside, Ont., writes: "For long years I suffered from heart trouble, and became very weak and run down. I tried various remedies, but they did me no good. One day I used a bottle of my trouble. She said she had had heart trouble for two years too, but after using Milburn's Heart and Nerve Pills for a short time she had been relieved of her trouble, so I got two boxes and was always recommending H. & N. Pills to anyone complaining of heart trouble."

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Little Helps For This Week

"Walk worthy of God, who hath called you into His kingdom and glory."—1 Thessalonians II. 12.

Let me not deem that I was made in vain.

Or that my being was an accident. Which Fate, in working its sublime

Not wished to be, to hinder would not deign.

Each drop uncounted in a storm of

Hath its own mission, and is duly

To its own leaf or blade.

—Hartley Coleridge.

Even from a corner it is possible to spring up into heaven. Plus, therefore, and force thyself out to a fashion worthy of God; thou canst not do this, however, with gold and silver. An image like to God cannot be formed out of such materials as these.—Seneca.

Remarkable Stars

Continuously Shooting Off Matter In All Directions Into Space

The most puzzling case of stars in the sky is that known as the Wolf-Rayet, so named because their peculiar character was discovered by the astronomers Wolf and Rayet at the Paris observatory in 1867. Observations carried out over a number of years by the Dominion Astrophysical Observatory, Victoria, B.C., have in part elucidated the mystery. These stars are continuously and violently shooting off matter in all directions into space. There is a constant stream of matter being propelled outward from the stars like a tremendous volcanic eruption over every part of the surface, none of the atoms reaching the terrific speed of 1,000 miles a second.

Central Electric Station Industry

Generation Of Electrical Energy For Public Use

Canada's central electric station industry—the generation or distribution of electrical energy for public use—has attained rapid development outward from the stars like a tremendous volcanic eruption over every part of the surface, none of the atoms reaching the terrific speed of 1,000 miles a second.

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TRAVELLING MAN GIVES
VIEWPOINT ON PROHIBITION

The address given by J. E. Eoli, past president of the Associated Canadian Travellers, at the annual Travellers' banquet held at the Whitehouse Hotel in Drumheller, recently, opens up a new line of thought for many citizens who are being asked to sign petitions for the closing of beer halls. Mr. Eoli, who is recognized as a sober-minded man, stated that so far as he was concerned, it was unthinkable to go back to the old system which prevailed during prohibition days. He pointed to the rapid improvement which every traveller had noticed in hotel accommodation since liquor control was introduced, and suggested that Alberta had now one of the best hotel systems in the West.

Mr. Eoli has been on the road for many years and has had every opportunity to study the problems affecting hotels. He is a man who has represented the Associated Commercial Travellers with dignity, and he has gained the respect of a large number of citizens throughout Canada because of his attitude on questions affecting the welfare of the Knights of the Road.

Mr. Eoli speaks with authority on the question of hotel service. When he says that the present system of liquor control is a marked improvement on the bootlegging days, it is because he is firmly convinced that any backward step would undoubtedly react against the travelling public insofar as hotel accommodation is concerned.

NINE PRODUCTION VALUE
FOR YEAR 1929—\$315,181,288.

OTTAWA, Ont., Dec. 24.—The output of Canada's mineral producing industries in 1929 was given a total value of \$315,181,288 in a Dominion Bureau of Statistics report issued Tuesday. These industries embraced 2,886 firms employing 95,102 hands and issuing a total annual payroll of \$124,490,511. Aggregate capital employed by the firms is placed at \$667,021,033.

The mineral industries were divided into three groups in the report. The metal mining group, in which was included alluvial gold, copper, auriferous quartz, silver and nickel, had a total output valued at \$161,050,306. The non-metal mining group, embracing fuels, asbestos and salt, accounted for sales aggregating \$92,506,188. Clay products and other structural materials mined during 1929 reached a value of \$58,534,834.

During the period under review, Ontario led her sister provinces in mineral output with production within her boundaries valued at \$116,174,844. British Columbia ranked next in this respect at \$66,256,597, and then followed Quebec, \$57,313,635; Alberta, \$35,883,239; Nova Scotia, \$28,529,875; Manitoba, \$5,423,629; New Brunswick, \$2,407,456; Saskatchewan, \$2,211,703. Production in the Yukon was valued at \$2,950,354.

A ship of heroes skippered by one of themselves was the value feature of the sailing of the Duchess of York on a recent trip from Montreal. Six holders of the Victoria Cross, Britain's most coveted and most meritorious of war awards, were on the vessel, which was under the command of Captain Stuart, himself a V.C. They were on their way from Canada to London to take part in the dinner by the Prince of Wales to Victoria Cross men from all parts of the Empire, slated to be held November 8. Other V.C.s travelled on Canadian Pacific liners Minnesota and Empress of Scotland.

MEET NEW EDITOR

The following is taken from "The Herald," Nipawin, Sask. A new editor took charge of the Herald last week, and this is what he tells his readers:

With this issue the Herald goes into the hands of its new editor and a few words of introduction at this time may not be out of order.

We were born in Bruce county, which, as everyone knows, is the county in which the province of Ontario is located. It was as good a place to be born as any we have ever tried. Our education in early childhood included learning to repeat a Gaelic prayer, and also to cement suitably in the same language when the cow "Pimpy" upset the milk pail. At the adventurous age of nine we moved west, taking our parents along to work the homestead, and at fourteen we were regularly driving four tired oxen in the field. It was at this time that we began to wish we had learned more Gaelic when we had the chance. Later in life, however, we improved our knowledge of the Scotch under the erudite Teacher, and the justly celebrated Johnny Dewar.

We have engaged, in turn in farming, in the automobile business, the oil business, the machine business; have made a great and dazzling failure of each and every one, and now turn to the newspaper business as one offering an opportunity for the most glorious failure of all.

FIFTEEN MINUTES A DAY

A perusal of the advertising pages of any popular magazine will show the interested man that by devoting just fifteen minutes to study each day he may become an impassioned public speaker who can sway thousands, or an adagio dancer and twirl his partner around his head like a drum major juggling his baton; he may learn to know the classics of literature and quote them to the boredom of people who must listen to him; or to speak French like a native of some French country; he may learn to play the piano like nobody's business!

In this day of moving pictures, radio programs, automobiles and business rush, it would not seem to be a bad idea if every man, woman and child on the American Continent would set aside fifteen minutes each day to sit in silence and have a personal thoughtful quarter of an hour on the question of whether are we bound and why, what are we going to do with it when we get it, and what's the use of hurrying hither and yon only to have to rush back here and change our clothes to go some place else.

If our ancestors were more thoughtful than we, if their record of philosophy, music and art were better, higher and more permanent than ours, it was because they had more leisure for silent contemplation of a plan of life, which they could carry to successful fulfillment.

Whither and what for are questions all too rarely asked in the present day and age. A life plan is so rare that it is almost freakish. To strive for a definite objective is most unusual. Fifteen minutes a day taking stock would be fully as advantageous to our social, spiritual and emotional life at the same time devoted to the study of Chloctaw or the art of becoming an amateur magician.

—Kiwano Magazine.

VETERAN CONDUCTOR RETIRES

George Arnold, who for 58 years has been on "runs" on passenger trains out of Montreal, has concluded the longest service ever achieved by a railway conductor in Canada.

First with the Grand Trunk Railway and continuing with the Canadian National system, Arnold has made himself popular among travellers between Montreal and Toronto and Montreal and Ottawa. Recently he was allotted the run from Montreal to Vaudreuil, over which he served until his retirement. He is 77 years of age.



BLAIRMORE UNITED CHURCH

Rev. J. W. Smith, B.D., Pastor

Serve the church that the church may serve you.

Services, Sunday, January 4th, the pastor in charge.

11 a.m.—SENIOR SCHOOL.

2 p.m.—JUNIOR SCHOOL.

7.30 p.m.—PUBLIC WORSHIP.

Monthly Young People's service.

Subject: "The Builders." A special invitation is extended to young people.

All groups will meet as usual this week.

Monday, Young People's Society; Tuesday, Philomaths; Wednesday, Vici; Thursday, Trail Rangers.

6.30 p.m.; Friday, Tuxis and Servants.

Annual meeting Sunday schools on Wednesday at the manse at 7.30 p.m.

Meeting of Official Board, Thursday at the manse at 8 p.m.

INSTITUTE OF MANUAL
TRAINING

Classes begin for the second term on Tuesday, January 6th. 1st year, A, 4.30 to 6 p.m.; Tuesday, 2nd year, 7 to 9 p.m.; Tuesday, 1st year, B, 7 to 8.30 p.m., Thursday.

Here and There

(588) Successful Canadian exhibitors in the International Grain and Hay Show to be held at Chicago, November 22-December 5, will be awarded liberal bonuses in addition to the regular premiums offered in the prize list now being distributed. The provincial governments of Quebec, Ontario, Alberta, Saskatchewan and British Columbia, the Calgary Board of Trade and the Canadian Pacific Railway have also announced offers of special awards for Canadian exhibitors.

That elk are attracted by music seems to be established by the actions of two fine specimens of that animal which stroll out of the bush when dancing begins at the Banff Springs Hotel every evening. Under the ballroom windows they begin to shake their heads and prance, cavort and caper while the music lasts, not even stopping to eat until the orchestra has ceased playing.

Canadian poultry are rapidly being recognized throughout the world as reaching unusually high standards and recently the S.S. Empress of Canada, clearing from Vancouver to China, Japan and the Philippines, carried 60 head of cockerels, white leghorns consigned to Manila to be used in building up the poultry industry of the island. The birds came from a poultry farm near Vancouver.

Captain R. W. McMurray, for the past five years marine superintendent of the Canadian Pacific's British Columbia coast steamship service at Vancouver and prior to that a commander with the Canadian Pacific trans-Pacific line, has been gazetted in the London Times of July 11 captain in the Royal Naval Reserve, promoted from the rank of commander, R.N.R. Captain McMurray, whose rank is equivalent to the army rank of brigadier-general, is one of the few living Canadians holding such a high position in the R.N.R.

The province of Manitoba last month celebrated its sixtieth birthday. Where 60 years ago the buffalo roamed alone, Manitobans are now pasturing 350,000 horses and 580,000 cattle and the prairie dweller is fast returning to the life of the farmer. The day's work, spends his evenings in his radio-equipped home or no longer over his good highways to the nearest city.

About a thousand tons of zinc concentrates from Field, B.C., on the main line of the Canadian Pacific Railway, were shipped to Japan recently, this being part of a movement of 1,500 tons monthly from a mine which started five months ago and which ships lead concentrates to California.

Nearly 12,000 extra men are finding employment this summer in the Canadian National program of construction, maintenance and improvement from coast to coast of the Dominion. The program includes laying of bridge trestles, pairing and renovation of main line bridges, trestles, trestles and other buildings. The men in general are recruited as near as possible to the scene of work and kept steadily employed until each job is finished.

Speaking
of You,
Sir,

WHEN you interview a respected patron, Mr. Business man, or a firm's representative you naturally endeavor to make a good impression. You are punctilious about your clothing and general appearance. Of course you are. It's good business.

Then why be satisfied when you correspond to allow a poor piece of paper, indifferently printed, represent you to the heads of the firms or to that same patron. After all the stationery is your "paper self" interviewing your business associates. Why not keep it "dressed" properly too?

The Enterprise Job department gives intelligent study to every piece of printing. The dress is "fitted" to the subject.

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PROBLEMS

The Blairmore Enterprise

Here and There

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A spectacular high line trail ride about 7,000 feet above sea level from Banff to Lake Louise has just been inspected and found feasible by J. Murray Gibson and Jim Brewster. It is 27 miles east of Banff over timber line to a "new looking down on the little known glacier-fed Taylor Lake and following the 7,000-foot contour to the Consolation Lake trail leading to Moraine Lake. It commands magnificent views of the staid country north of the Canadian Pacific Railway west as far as the Bow Lakes and south to Mt. Assiniboine. It is 60 miles long and will probably be used for the annual official camping trip of the Trail Riders of the Canadian Rockies next year.

"I do not believe that the talking time will ever take the place of the legitimate stage. People still appear to be building old-fashioned theatres," said Lady Diana Manners, famous English society beauty and equally famous as the heroine of "The Miracle" during her New York and Boston productions, who arrived at the Windsor street station, Montreal, recently, on her first visit to Canada.

The Quebec Festival of French-Canadian Folk Lore and Handicrafts, at which habitat artists born and bred on the soil of Quebec province, and well-known artists from far and wide rival one another in recovering the spirit of old France, and old New France and the age-old culture of the Gallic race, will be held this year October 16th, according to an announcement made by the Canadian Pacific Railway, organizers of the Festival.

Travelling in two Canadian Pacific special trains, about 250 of the most eminent figures in the British medical world left Montreal for Winnipeg to attend the first convention of the British Medical Association held in Winnipeg. They were preceded by a group of 50 members of the British Tuberculosis Association, who attended a convention of tuberculous specialists at Nisette, Man., before going to Winnipeg.

"In view of the fact that this is the last year in which Canada has a seat on the Council of the League of Nations, I could not resist the request made to me by the Prime Minister to represent the Dominion at Geneva," said Sir Robert Laird Borden, former Prime Minister of Canada, as he sailed for Europe recently aboard the Empress of Scotland.

Here and There

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A new queen of the Pacific will pay homage August 24 to a former Empress of the seas when the Canadian Pacific liner Empress of Japan, new 26,000-ton flagship of the company's Pacific fleet, steams through the Narrows to receive Vancouver's viceroyal applause. Just before reaching Brockton Point the new Empress, gay with flags and bunting, will dip her ensign to the dragon-carved figurehead which rests on its pedestal in Stanley Park overlooking the waters of Burrard Inlet. The figurehead is that of the old Empress of Japan, captured and sold in 1922 after 31 years of service between Canada and the Orient.

Impressively simple ceremonies were held at Fort William recently for the late P. E. Trautman, for the past 18 years Canadian Pacific Press representative in Western Canada. He was buried in the city where a large part of his career as a pioneer western newspaperman was passed as editor of the Fort William Times-Journal. The offices of Fort Arthur and Fort William were officially represented as was also the railway company while a large number of private citizens paid their last respects.

S.S. Princess Joan, new 5,000-ton steamer of the Canadian Pacific Railway's British Columbia coast fleet, became a floating bazaar for Vancouver when 425 members of the Grand Masonic Lodge of British Columbia swarmed aboard for their 59th annual convention at Powell River.

The Algonquin Hotel at St. Andrews-by-the-Sea, has opened ahead of its usual time with three conventions booked prior to the official opening of the St. Andrews season the last week in June.

Fifteen years ago the average hen in Canada laid 50 eggs annually, according to Professor E. A. Lloyd of British Columbia. This number has now grown to 70. From extra eggs alone, Canada has produced an increased revenue of more than \$200,000,000.

Nearly one billion dollars was invested in central electric power stations in Canada at the end of 1928, or \$95,919,000 to be exact, according to an official report issued by the Canadian Government Bureau of Statistics. This is twice the amount of the investment in this industry in 1920 and over 390,000,000 more than the total in 1927.

Here and There

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Travelling 180 miles in 55 hours of actual skidding from Jasper Park to Lake Louise, five skiers who will compete in the Banff Carnival have just completed the longest and most hazardous trip of the continent. In all the time taken was over a week and during the trip they sometimes slept in the open in 40 below zero weather and other times in wardens and old trappers huts. All came through in the pink of condition.

Richard Jack, famous English painter; and Olive Carey, brilliant interpreter of English folk songs, recently left Saint John on board the S.S. Montrose. Mr. Jack has spent the summer and autumn in the Canadian Rockies and is taking to England a large number of canvases depicting mountain scenery. Mr. Carey appeared at the English Music Festival at Toronto last November and has toured the entire Dominion with the folk dancers, terminating with a concert at Saint John.

Captain J. Glendon and Captain G. Siedell, two British officers, are making a 6,000-mile trip, coming and going, from London to Quebec, via Saint John, to take in the Pontenac Winter sports at the Ancient Capital. They will witness the running of the International Dog Sled Derby and participate in skiing, skating and tobogganing.

Canadians drink nearly 100 per cent. more milk than they did in 1921. The per capita consumption is about one pint per day, or 470.8 pounds, per year, compared with about one-half pint per head of population in 1921. The milk consumption in the United States is about 484 pounds per capita per year or less than a pint per day per person. Canadians eat more butter than the people of any other country in the world—23.21 pounds per capita per annum—an increase from 25.79 pounds since 1921. Their appetite for ice cream has increased from 5.26 pints in 1921 to 7.04 pints in 1928, and 0.2 per capita consumption of cheese has risen from 2.51 pounds in 1921 to 3.51 pounds.

Total production of maple syrup in Canada for 1929 was 2,185,379 gallons valued at \$3,658,107, and of maple sugar, 8,208,378 pounds valued at \$1,351,513. Average market price of maple syrup was \$1.77 a gallon, and of maple sugar, 17 cents a pound. The Province of Quebec was the largest producer and balancers came from Ontario, Nova Scotia and New Brunswick.



GROUP OF DELEGATES ATTENDING THE 1930 CONVENTION OF CANADIAN WEEKLY PRESS ASSOCIATION AT MEMORIAL CHURCH, PARK OF EVANGELINE, GRAND PRE, NOVA SCOTIA.

GOVERNMENT CONTROL OF BANKS URGED AS UNEMPLOYMENT CURE

Editor, Vancouver Sun: Sir,—Any paper a man picks up today is filled with such news as unemployment, holdups, robberies and the like. There must be something radically wrong. Now I say without fear of contradiction that the people who live in Canada are as good as people as this old world can produce.

I will tell you, sir, what is wrong—the banking system is the cause of all our trouble. The banks have the money tied up completely. What we require is the Government to run it over the banking system and run it for the benefit of the country. Let us see if it can be done.

In 1926 the banks of Canada had \$43,154,000 in gold. They had in circulation in 1921 \$229,603,213 of notes. What other assets no one seems to know.

In 1926 the Dominion had \$127,380,217 in gold. The point is why can't the Government issue about half a billion dollars in notes and send the people to work.

Some one may say that the Government is in debt now. Well, we will see just how much she is in debt and what are her assets. Her debt in 1926 was \$2,656,954,668. Her produced assets in 1926 was \$22,500,000,000, not saying a word about the value of Canada as a whole, which is the richest piece of soil that God's sun shines on, and we must not forget that all our one and two-dollar notes belong to the Government, which is something like \$60,000,000.

If my figures are incorrect ever, minister of finance in Canada I wrong. I have taken my figures from the finance ministers and I guess they know. Under such conditions I consider that the Government is justified in issuing seven hundred million dollars and running the banking system. Let the banker keep his money I cannot see why the people of Canada should have bread lines and poverty when we have everything we need to make the people of Canada the happiest on earth.

Again, someone may say that we will have so much trouble that the government could not run the banks. I differ on that point. We have just as reliable men on the outside of the

banks as we have in them. Twenty lashes with a rawhide, then we would have no Solloways or Irelands. They would be glad to toe the mark.

In a recent issue of your paper I noticed an article which stated in part that between forty and fifty women with small children by their side, line up every day at the creche in order to secure work. These people are not getting a fair chance in life. If they were they would not have to do this.

I see only two enemies in life's path and they are poverty and ignorance and I consider it is the duty of very man and woman in Canada to fight them both.—J. A. KENDALL in The Vancouver Sun.

Teacher: "Who can tell me who the former ruler of Russia was called?"

Class (in unison): "Czar."

Teacher: "Correct, and what was his wife called?"

Class: "Czarina."

Teacher: "Correct, and what was the Czar's little children called?"

A pause, and then a small timid voice piped out: "Czardines!"

COWLEY HAPPENINGS

Mrs. P. McEwen and Miss Doris McEwen, of Blairmore, were Cowley visitors the latter part of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Turner and infant, of Calgary, paid a visit to relatives here over the holiday season.

The monthly meeting of the Women's Institute was held at the home of Mrs. Robert Littleton on Wednesday of last week.

One of the best Christmas entertainments ever staged here was held in the I.O.O.F. hall on Friday night of last week, when the house was packed to standing. The splendid programme given by the children, was enjoyed to the fullest. Father O'Dae, whose witty remarks added spice to the programme, was the very capable chairman for the evening, while Sandy Thompson filled the place of Old Saint Nick, who could not have done better had he been here in person himself.

Mrs. Sam Armstrong, of Portage la Prairie, is on an extended visit with her sister, Mrs. Latta, and other relatives here.

Brad. Tustian, who has been in Saskatchewan for several months past, was home for the Christmas vacation.

Mrs. James Leigh and daughter Verdon come down from Calgary for the Christmas vacation.

Dorothy Irwin, Mollie Gunn and Ethel Copenack, who have been attending high school at Pincher Creek, spent Christmas at their homes.

On Monday night a Christmas concert was held in the Heath Creek school, while most of the country schools in the municipality held Christmas entertainments during the previous week.

Gerald and Walter Smith, of Vaughan, are paying their parents here a visit.

The Cowley school reopens on Monday next. Miss Nellie McWilliams has accepted the position as principal.

David Murphy was a Lethbridge visitor on Tuesday.

Miss Kathleen Porter, of Macleod, spent Christmas with her mother and family here.

Several of the local folks attended the dance at Lundbreck on Friday night. They report a crowd of five hundred attending and a jolly time. The Ladies' Bridge Club was entertained by Mrs. Littleton at her home on Tuesday night.

Mrs. Byers, who has been employed as principal of the village school, resigned the position and has gone to Chicago to pay a visit to her daughter.

YOU CAN!

Believe that you can—and you will not fail, though great be the task ahead. Believe that you can—though hard the trail, and rugged the road you run. Have faith in yourself, just know you can, and you're simply bound to do; and never a barrier, bar, or ban can keep you from carrying through.—Ex.

Here and There

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A British Columbia creamery has recently been awarded a contract by a Hong Kong firm of provision merchants for the shipment of 60 boxes of butter per month. For the past eight years shipments of British Columbia butter have been made to Japan and it has sold at a premium in the markets of that country.

With the formal opening of the 100 room Cornwall Inn early in December, at Kentville, N.S., the fifteenth hotel was added to the chain of Canadian Pacific Railway hosteleries from the Atlantic to the Pacific. A grand gala banquet sponsored by the Kentville Board of Trade at which nearly three hundred guests sat down including the Premier of Nova Scotia and Grant Hall, vice-president of the company marked the opening of the new \$500,000 hotel.

Herman Trelle, of Wenlock, Alta., for the second time took the title of "Wheat King of 1930" when he was awarded top honors at the International Livestock Exposition in Chicago recently with hard red spring. Mr. Trelle is even more satisfied with the third place which he won in hard red winter by which he is confident he has demonstrated the feasibility of raising high grade winter wheat in western Canada and that he has moved the winter wheat line 700 miles to the north. An invitation to take a round-the-world cruise has been tendered Mr. Trelle as a mark of appreciation by E. W. Beatty, chairman and president of the Canadian Pacific Railway.

The Province of New Brunswick's revenue from motor vehicles for the fiscal year ended October 31 last amounted to \$1,581,220, being 21 per cent greater than the receipts from the same source in 1929, and establishing a new high record for the province, according to announcement made by Hon. D. A. Stewart, Minister of Public Works.

An old obligation was recently liquidated by Canada when the sum of \$47,000 was paid to Commander Otto Sverdrup, famous Norwegian explorer, in return for the services rendered by him in his explorations and discoveries in the Arctic Islands. His researches extended over an area of about 100,000 square miles and have been of great value to Canada.

Latest official report on the field crops of Canada estimates the 1930 wheat crop at 235,854,000 bushels or about 11,000,000 bushels more than the previous official estimate made last September. 14,000,000 were grown in the Prairie Provinces. The crop is about 31,000,000 bushels more than in 1929.

Great increase in pork production in Canada on account of the grain situation was predicted by Hon. Robert Weir, Minister of Agriculture for Canada, at a recent banquet in Toronto given by him to agriculturists, business executives and government representatives on behalf of the Federal Government at the Royal Winter Fair, Toronto.

The salmon pack of British Columbia for the 1930 season is nearly 100,000 cases higher than the previous record of 1928. The total value of the pack is \$1,615,212 cases while in 1929 it was 1,389,476 cases. In 1928 it was 2,055,151 cases.

IN MEMORIAM

Last Words of a Printer

Here lies the mortal remains of

John Hulm, Printer,

Who, like an old worn out type,

battered by frequent use,

Reposes in the grave

But not without a hope that at some

future time he might be

Recast in the mould of righteousness

And safely locked up

In the blissful case of immortality

He was distributed from the board of

life on the ninth day of September,

1927.

Aged 75 years.

Here and There

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Up to December 15 more grain had been delivered to ships at West Saint John than during the entire month of December, 1929, and this traffic bids fair to exceed that of last season for Mediterranean and other European ports, according to information gathered at Canadian Pacific Railway headquarters. In addition to grain at seaboard, 1,500,000 bushels were in transit at mid-December, with further orders coming in daily.

Holders already of two Dominion championships, the first aid team of the Canadian Pacific Railway's Toronto freight offices added further laurels to their crown by taking, in face of stiff opposition, the silver challenge shield of the company's eastern lines championship, and a week later journey to Winnipeg where they captured a third Dominion trophy by defeating Weston Shops, winners of the western lines championship, by 35 points. Winning team was: W. T. Warren, (captain), A. T. Curle, H. H. Brad, C. W. Seaton, W. J. Turk and C. W. Macey (spare).

By the throwing of a switch in the Saskatoon power house the Saskatchewan Government Power Commission a new era for many towns in central Saskatchewan was recently introduced. This act marked the energizing of the new high tension power line to Shellbrook and the lighting up of that town and of a number of interesting towns by electricity supplied from the central electric station in Saskatoon. About 400 miles of power lines will be functioning shortly and a hundred more will be effectively lighted and supplied with power.

More than half a million Christmas trees have been shipped from the Province of New Brunswick to the points in the United States. The supply of Christmas trees from New Brunswick for United States comes entirely from publicly-owned lands as the exportation of such trees cut on government-owned lands is forbidden.

During the past two years forty Danish families, comprising 162 persons, have bought farms in Nova Scotia. Twenty-five of these families made their purchase this year. These farms are situated along the Gulf Shore from Puxwask to Antigonish in Hants County from Walton to Cheverie, and throughout the Annapolis Valley as far west as Bridgetown.

In the first nine months of 1930, more than 150,000 parcels of mail were carried by air mail services in Canada. One-half of the service operates out of Montreal. New services are projected. One will cover the route from Amos to Stascoe, newly settled districts in Northern Quebec, and the second from the Peace River to North Vermilion, in the North-West Territories. There are 560 aircraft flying in Canada, with 717 pilots, of whom 405 are commercial. There are 75 air harbours.

Six ships recently took large consignments of British Columbia apples to the British Isles. The apples were brought from the Okanagan Valley, the principal apple-growing district of British Columbia.

THE FIVE AGES OF MAN

"Daddy, I know how to do every-

thing," said the little boy of five.

"What I don't know isn't worth

knowing," said the young man of

twenty.

"Well, anyway, I do know my own

trade from A to Z," said the man of

thirty-five.

"There are very few matters, I am

sorry to say, that I am really quite

sure about," said the man of fifty.

"I have learned a bit, but not much,

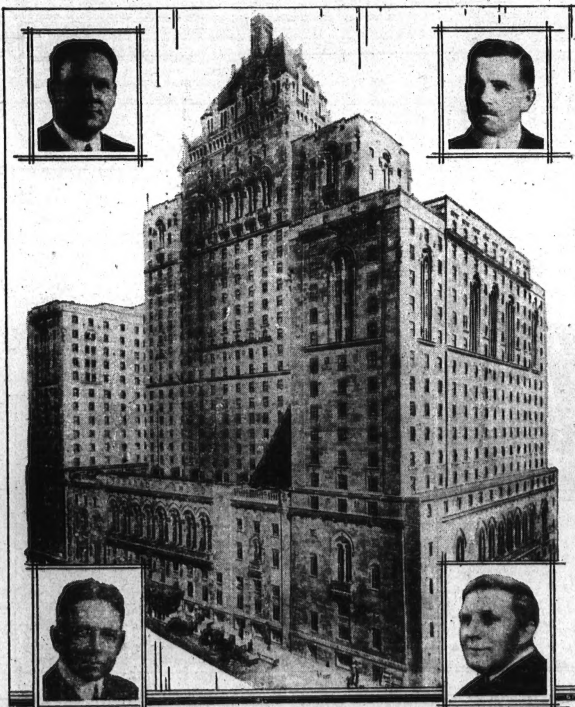
since I was born; but knowledge is so

valuable that one cannot become wise

in a short life-time," said the man of

sixty-five.

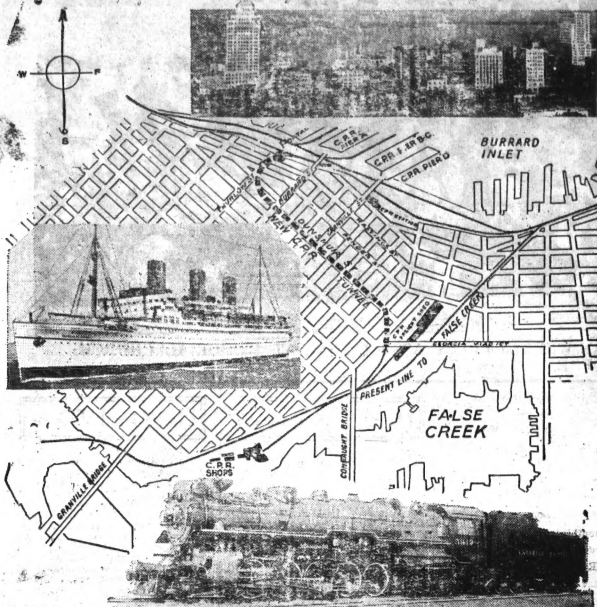
Royal York Wins Architects' Medal



The Royal York Hotel, Toronto, the largest hotel in the British Empire, is again in the limelight, having won for its architects the 1930 Gold Medal, awarded by the Royal Architectural Institute of Canada, for the outstanding achievement in the past three years. Sixteen architects from various parts of Canada submitted photographs of buildings, within the terms of the competition, to the 52nd Annual Exhibition of the Royal Canadian Academy, recently held in Toronto, the prize going to the

Canadian Pacific Railway's great new hotel. Formal presentations will be made to the successful competitors: Messrs: George A. Ross, F.R.I.B.A., and Robert H. Macdonald, F.R.I.B.A., of Montreal (upper left and right); and Messrs: Henry Sprouatt, F.R.I.B.A., L.L.D., R.C.A., and Ernest R. Ralph, F.R.I.B.A., A.R.C.A., of Toronto, (lower left and right), at the next annual meeting of the Institute, to be held at Lucerne-in-Quebec, February 20th and 21st, 1931.

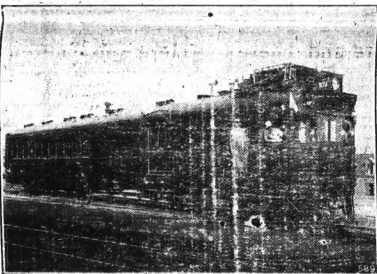
Boring Under The Heart Of A City



Eliminating a surface line at present connecting its main yard on Burrard Inlet, where the trans-Pacific liners berth, with the storage yards and industrial sidings at False Creek, Vancouver, B.C., the Canadian Pacific Railway is just about to provide work for 300 men, throughout the winter, by beginning work on a great tunnel, nearly a mile long. Seven cross-down streets will be freed and much valuable building-land made available by the disappearance of the ground-level line, in addition to which faster connection will be made for the railway between the waterfront and the False Creek area. It is calculated that excavation

of 86,000 cubic yards of soil will be necessitated by the new tunnel, which will be 22½ feet high and vary from 15 to 19 feet in width. The accompanying drawing shows details of the project, the heavy dotted line being the bore of the tunnel through the heart of the city. Inset, the new Canadian Pacific record-breaking liner "Empress of Japan"; above: downtown Vancouver, showing (left) the new Marine building, and (right) the Royal Bank building; below: a close-up of locomotive 5919, one of the new giants operating in British Columbia.

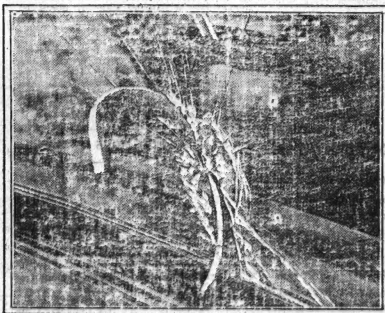
New Gas Electric Engine



With its eight-cylinder gasoline engine and two electric motors purring and humming in soothing but powerful harmony, No. 45, the Canadian Pacific Railway's new gas-electric combined passenger and baggage car, embodying the latest developments in electro-motive traction, is people from Hamilton and Goderich and its sister car No. 46, between

Ottawa and Waltham. These cars have a range of 400 miles at an average speed of 20 miles an hour, but attain a maximum speed of 65 miles an hour. They comprise a first-class compartment seating 35 passengers, a smoking compartment for 15 people and a 15-foot compartment for baggage and express.

Ford Windshield Resists Blow of Iron Horseshoe



A HORSESHOE may be lucky for some people, but for Mrs. E. Holman, of St. Louis, Mo., it might have been very unlucky had it not been for the shatterproof glass in the windshield of her Ford sedan. Mrs. Holman was driving along a concrete suburban highway when suddenly the horseshoe struck the windshield and lodged snugly in the shattering glass. It was a lucky break for Mrs. Holman and the two adults and three children who accompanied her, for not one of them was hurt. The car continued for 165 miles with the proverbial lucky shoe still embedded in the windshield.

CORBIN HAPPENINGS

Among the students attending high school in Fernie, who returned to their respective homes here to enjoy the Christmas festivities, were Miss Mae Parsons, Masters Billy Giraleck, Tommy Ferryman, Bulbie Elliott and Roy Taylor.

A very successful children's Christmas concert was put on by the teachers of the local school on Saturday evening. Recitations, plays, carols and catchy popular songs formed the programme of the evening. The excellent rendition of all numbers by the children reflected upon the thorough coaching by both Miss Timmeus and Miss Wilson, upon which they are to be congratulated. Mr. E. L. Warburton, chairman of the school board, acted as chairman for the evening.

Messrs Jack Thompson and Harry Gardner spent the week end at Columbia.

Miss A. Wilson, teacher of the junior room at the local school, spent the Christmas vacation with relatives at Rossland.

Children of members of the Pythian Sisters' lodge were the joyful recipients of gifts on Thursday evening, when the annual Christmas Tree was held.

The Knights of Pythias staged a dance in their hall on Christmas Eve, while the Oddfellows staged a similar event on New Year's Eve. Both were well attended and enjoyable.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Taylor and family spent Christmas Day in Fernie.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Almond and daughter were Michel visitors on Christmas Day.

On Christmas Eve, the marriage was solemnized of Vera Cheetan, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ben Cheetan, to Mr. Charlie Joyce, eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. Mike Joyce. The ceremony was performed at Blairmore.

On Saturday evening, December 27th, Mr. David Greive passed away at his home here, following a short illness. He leaves to mourn his passing his wife and three small children; and mother, a sister and two brothers

In Corbin. The remains were laid to rest at Fernie on Tuesday, the 30th. Mrs. Dr. Elliott and Mrs. Walter Sykes motored to Cranbrook and back over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Almond were Fernie visitors on Friday last.

Dr. and Mrs. Kelman, of Fernie, were in town on Friday.

The annual miners' Christmas Tree was held in the Club hall on Christmas Eve. Mr. W. Stone acted as chairman. Before the presents were distributed, the audience had the pleasure of listening to some old-time carols, sung by the girls of the senior school room. Mr. A. Williams also favored us with the song entitled, "The Holy City." Toys of every description were passed out to the eager children, who rushed home afterwards to play with their new found treasures.

Corbin held its first hockey practice on the new ice on Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Barney Lyne spent the Christmas holidays visiting relatives at Michel.

PRINCE ROBERT IN DRY DOCK

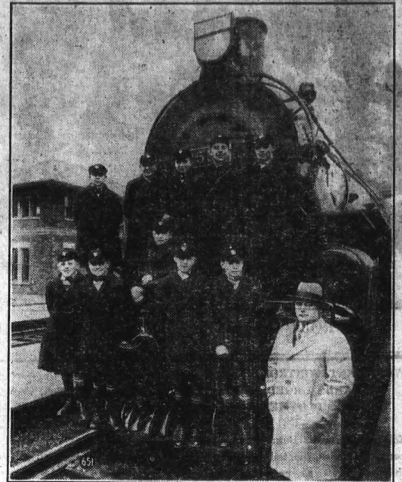
The new three-funnelled high powered Canadian National liner "Prince Robert" has been placed in the dry dock of the Halifax shipyards. The boat is being closely inspected and re-outfitted with paint after her maiden voyage across the Atlantic preparatory to her cruise to South America, with a large passenger list, which will include many Western Canadian business men.

The company is contemplating a special excursion which will probably run from Halifax through the Panama canal to Vancouver with a call at the British West Indies when the "Prince Robert" leaves the Atlantic late in April to take up service on the run from Vancouver to Victoria and Seattle.

This anticipated excursion will follow immediately on the completion of her cruise to South America under the auspices of the Canadian Chamber of Commerce and the Canadian Manufacturers' Association, sailing from Halifax March 2nd. On the voyage south she will carry some 200 passengers and will call at several Latin-American ports, including Buenos Ayres, where the British Empire Fair will be visited. This exhibition includes a big show building, built by the Canadian government for the display of Canadian products.

"So you had an operation. What for?"
"Three hundred dollars."
"No, no. I mean what did the doctors take out of you?"
"Three hundred dollars."
"You don't get me. What did you have?"
"Three hundred dollars."
"Oh I see. I was just wondering."

"His Majesty's Choir Children" to Sing



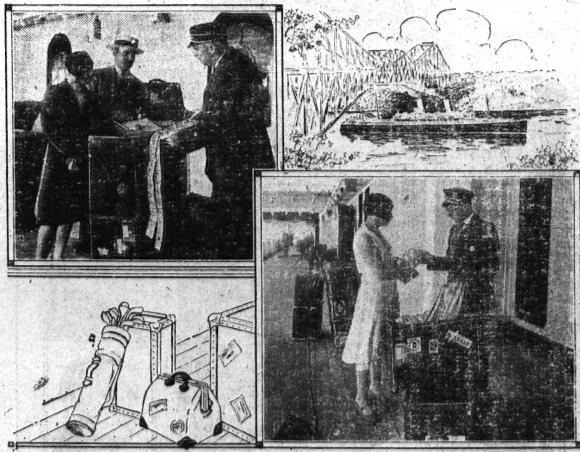
Canada is honored—and delighted—by the visit to the Dominion of the children of His Majesty's Savoy Chapel Choir, composed of twelve boy sopranos, the pick of England's best youthful singers, all of them under sixteen years of age. It is the first occasion in the 700-year history of the Chapel that a King of England has given permission to the children of the choir to leave Great Britain. They will take part in the Christmas Festival to be held this year at Lucerne-in-Quebec, and they will also give a recital at the Royal York Hotel, Toronto, December 23. Those who associate the choir with strictly church music will get a surprise, for programmes to be rendered by the boys include not only this type of music but also some of the best known of secular songs, glees and part songs presented in solo, trio or choral form. When they sing church music they are garbed in scarlet and gold costumes surmounted by the quaint Tudor ruff, exactly as they appear upon festival occasions in London. They come to Canada as representatives of an institution which typifies the best traditions of choral singing in a country where choral singing is unexcelled in any part of the world.

A Happy Quartette at Empire Games



It was a great day at Hamilton, Ont., when the British Empire Games were opened: a day of sunshine and smiles, as is shown by the above picture of four distinguished Canadian citizens in the viceregal box. Whatever the smile is born of, it is unanimous. Left to right: E. W. Beatty, Chairman and President of the Canadian Pacific Railway; His Excellency Viscount Willingdon, Governor-General of Canada; Hon. R. B. Bennett, Prime Minister of the Dominion; and J. Howard Ferguson, Prime Minister of the Province of Ontario.

Cutting Down Travel Time



No matter how anxious travellers may be to spin out their holiday to the ultimate minute they always manifest a certain amount of impatience when once they have left their ship and the formalities of Customs inspection necessitate a slight delay on the pier.

To overcome this the Canada Customs at Montreal and the Canadian Pacific Steamships are co-operating in a new service to incoming passengers. On the four palatial 29,000-ton Duchess liners Duchess of Atholl, Duchess of Bedford, Duchess of Richmond, and Duchess of York, the largest liners in sail direct to Montreal, customs officers, baggage checkers, and porters board the ship at Quebec. Customs examination of heavy luggage is carried out on the ship during the 10-hour voyage from Quebec to Montreal, baggage is checked through to its destination and the passenger is enabled to walk off the ship, pause but a moment while hand-baggage is looked over, and proceed direct to the waiting train.

Photos show scenes at the inauguration of the new service on the Duchess of Richmond, recently. Invoices in hand the fair traveller is telling the inspector how much the package cost. The homymongers, customs inspection over, are checking their trunk—lodging by the length of the tickets they must be going to Banff, at least.



TRONO'S
Blairmore - Alberta

The British Columbia Liquor Board Monday filed a writ claiming untold damages against the Pacific Brewers Agents, Limited, for alleged shortages on beer sold in kegs since 1925. The Liquor Board computed the shortages since 1925 amounted to \$280,000. The Pacific Brewers' Agents, Limited, includes all the brewers in Vancouver, Victoria and New Westminster. The writ stated that the claims against all the defendants were for damages for fraudulently representing the barrels delivered by them were of 25 gallons capacity, whereas, it is alleged, they were of 24 gallons capacity or less. The beer in question was sold under agreement made in 1925 between the Liquor Board and the Brewers' Agents.

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Meets First and Third Tuesdays at 8 p.m., in the Oddfellows' Hall. Officers for the ensuing term: Sister Patterson, N.G.; Thos. McKay, V.G.; A. Thiberg, Recording Secretary.

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No. 66, I. O. O. F.
Meets First and Third Thursdays at 8 p.m., in the Oddfellows' Hall. Officers for the ensuing term: Sister Barabell, N.G.; Sister Erikson, V.G.; Sister Howe, R.S.; Sister Walker, F. S.; Sister Archer, Treas.

Livingstone Lodge No. 22,
KNIGHTS OF PYTHIAS
Meets in the Castle Hall on the Second and Fourth Fridays of the month at 8 p.m. Visitors are always welcome. Officers: C. C. Harry Somers; K. of R. S. B. Sealer.

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B. P. O. ELKS
Meets Second and Fourth Tuesdays at 8 p.m. in the Moose Hall. Visitors made welcome. C. J. Tompkins, Exalted Ruler; J. K. McLeod, Secretary.

WANTED—Hear from owner good Farm for sale, cash price, particulars, D. F. Bush, Minneapolis, Minn.

MR. BENNETT AND THE PRESS

The date of Mr. Bennett's return to Canada has not been settled, so far as is known here. After his visit to Ireland and Scotland he is booked to go to Paris, presumably with a view to opening negotiations for a revision of the French trade treaty. It will be December before he can be expected home. In Ottawa one hears little if any criticism of his performance in England. It seems to be accepted that he did all that was to be done in the circumstances. But it can hardly be said that all his utterances over there were calculated to enhance his glory. Whatever he may have said at that meeting which was closed to the press about conditions in the Lancashire cotton industry in relation to the competition of Lancashire cottons with Canadian cottons in the Canadian market, no doubt was well founded, but the nature of his complaint about the publication of a newspaper version of it, whether that version was misleading or not, can hardly have done much good. His grievance about having been "betrayed" aroused no great amount of sympathy here and one fancies it cannot have created any serious impression in England. I have remarked before on Mr. Bennett's apparent lack of appreciation of the part of the press in public affairs. He seems to be entirely unaware of it until it says something he doesn't like, and then he complains about it in a manner that is not very impressive. Oblivious of the fact that it is the function of newspapers to get and convey news, his reaction to the publication of a version of his observations regarding the Lancashire cotton industry was that of indignation and complaint. He is the principal owner of a considerable unit in the reprints industry, but apparently he has little conception of the uses for which his product is required.—Saturday Night.

ON RUNNING AWAY

Until we have learned the uselessness of it, most of us some time or other have tried to run away from the responsibility of a disagreeable task that lay in our way, or have sought to dispose of it by wishing it done. But we are not Aladdin and we have no magic lamp. Our world is one of stern reality. Obstacles that clutter our paths can be overcome only by fighting them and conquering them for all time. Issues cannot be dodged or only partially solved, for if they are thus dismissed they will spring up again like the famous dragon's teeth of the Tanglewood Tales, more menacing and more numerous and difficult to overcome than before. There is much to learn of life in that simple tale. Each time the issues reappear, though the form may be changed, they spring from the same fundamental cause. "Until the root of the matter is met squarely and overcome, there can be no peace; for we cannot run away from life's troubles, because we cannot run far enough to get away.—Contact.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Clements and children were holiday guests here of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Upton.

Johnny J. Jones, noted showman, died at Deland, Florida, on Christmas Day, aged fifty-six.

Eleven bank bandits and robbers were sentenced at Winnipeg to terms aggregating 78 years and lashes to the total of 115.

Mr. Corklin, who a number of years ago was in the employ of the McLaren Lumber Company here, is visiting old friends at the m.l., accompanied by Mrs. Corklin.

Rt. Hon. Sir Robert Borden, who represented Canada at the League of Nations Assembly at Geneva this year, is to speak on the league over radio, on an all-Canadian National hook-up, at 2:45 p.m. Sunday, January 4th. Sir Robert is one of the greatest Canadians and has a world wide reputation as a speaker and student of international affairs.

Local and General Items

D. A. Smith, of Beaver Mines, spent the Yuletide with his son Jack and family at Fernie.

The man who does not know what to do with his week end should put his hat on it.

Bill Turner's Blairmore Juveniles defeated Hillcrest Juveniles 3-0 on Christmas afternoon.

Mrs. Alphonse Fabro, of Kimberley, spent Christmas here with her mother, Mrs. Pozzi.

Billed as two cars of fish, the cars were discovered to be loaded with booze at Truro recently.

Miss Mary Sartoris was down from Calgary to spend Christmas with her parents.

"Bill" Johnson has returned from a holiday visit with his parents at Vancouver.

The Calgary Bronks defeated High River Flyers 3-1 on New Year's afternoon.

Coleman seniors defeated Blairmore yesterday 5 to 1 in a game that was witnessed by a large attendance.

The Hudson-Exxon automobile plant has recently added 5700 men to its payroll.

Mrs. D. M. J. Conway and daughter Dierdra arrived in Jasper last week from an extended visit to Ireland.

A grand Christmas dance was held in the Community hall at Lundbreck on Friday night last, under the auspices of the Lundbreck Girls.

The Rank of Esquire was conferred at the regular meeting of Livingstone Lodge, Knights of Pythias, on Friday night last.

The marriage takes place at Owen Sound, Ontario, on Saturday, of Miss Margaret Eloise Telford to Grier Rider Davis, of Macleod, Alberta. They will reside at Macleod.

Listening to profane remarks from youngsters along our streets suggests that we might remind them that down in Nova Scotia they would get a ten-day jail term for the trick.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Gresham, of Okotoks, are spending a vacation here with the former's parents, Magistrate and Mrs. J. W. Gresham.

On Saturday afternoon Mrs. Ardis Colter entertained at bridge in compliment of Mrs. F. MacKay, of Blairmore, who is spending the holiday season with Miss Olga C. J. at Medicine Hat.—Lethbridge Herald.

The Edmonton Journal remarks: The boys' parliament opens today. The chief difference between it and the regular legislature is that there will be no rumors flying around of an effort to raise the seasonal indemnity.

Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Perry will have as their guests during the Christmas holiday, the latter's sister, Mrs. David Hutton and two children, of Hillcrest. Mr. Hutton is convalescing in a Calgary hospital.—Strathmore Standard.

We, on Tuesday, received by air mail a card from Mr. and Mrs. Mark Drumm, Tujunga, California, carrying a New Year wish for health, success and cheer to all their Canadian friends.

The police have so far been unable to line up the party or parties who on Thursday night of last week entered the Powell jewelry store at Coleman, getting away with some watches and small jewelry.

A roll of money saved a Montreal man severe injury by a bandit's bullet and a roll of money has saved many a man from severe injury by a rolling pin—when he comes home late from a poker party.—Ex.

A grand concert will be staged in Cole's Theatre at Bellevue on Tuesday night next in the interest of the United church funds. The programme will consist of many musical items, readings, etc., and a play, entitled "Nativity."

LIFE IS A GAME

Life is like a poker game—

Most anyone can win when he gets the cards—

The real player is the one who can play the game when the breaks are all against him—

The breaks in life may have been against you, but—

If you whine or quit, it shows you aren't fit to sit in a game with real men—

In life, as in poker, the thing to do is to play 'em as they fall—

Don't weep—
Don't whine—
Play the game—

Don't cower when you win—
Don't bellyache when you lose—

There's no credit to you in winning when you get all the breaks—
There is when they are all against you—

Life's a fight—
It's up to you to win or be counted out as a diehard—

Keep your chin up—but fight—
Win, lose or draw—Gage Readings.

INSTITUTE PUBLIC LIBRARY

New books this week include:
Junior Ejection—The New Head and Barbara, by Betty Laws; "Lost in the Rockies," by E. G. Ellis; "The Quest of the Golden Hope," by P. F. Westernman.

Fiction—"The Legion of Honour," by Baroness Orczy; "Hira Singh's Tale," by Talbot Mundy; "The Secret Telephone," by William Le Queux.

Non-Fiction—"Radiation and Radio Activity," by Romance of Science Series; "Peeps at Many Lands," by Alsace Lorraine; "Play and Recreation," by Curtis.

"Child Life" and "Canadian Geographical Journal" have been added to our list. Magazines may be taken out for seven days only. The time on books is 14 days.

We gladly acknowledge 20 books from Miss Leila Johnson. Library hours are: Tuesdays and Saturdays, 7 to 9 p.m.

IMMUNIZATION TREATMENT FOR DIPHTHERIA SUCCESS

VIENNA, Dec. 29.—Marked improvement in the use of external treatment for immunization against diphtheria was announced Sunday by Dr. H. Baar and Dr. H. Benedict of the Vienna St. Anne's Children's hospital.

Under the process introduced by the Austrian Professor Lowenstein, the diphtheria anti-toxin was rubbed into the skin in the form of a salve, but required a long period to become absorbed. Dr. Baar and Dr. Benedict first apply mustard plasters until the skin is reddened and then rub in the salve with greatly improved effect.

A test of the treatment's effect on 100 immunized children by determination of the quantity of counter poison in the blood and skin showed the mustard method improved the anti-toxin's efficacy from 13 to 27 per cent, also greatly accelerating the arrival of immunity.

An old landmark, the Pacific hotel, was completely destroyed by fire at Hoosier on Sunday morning last.

Rumor has it that a prominent citizen of Lundbreck has been created a D.S.O.

Misses Bessie, Nina and Mildred Passmore arrived from Cranbrook on Christmas Eve, to spend Christmas with their parents.

Miss Alma Mackie, one of Bellevue's native-born girls, was on Christmas Day united in marriage to John Wahlberg, famous marathoner. The ceremony was performed at Calgary.

An exchange remarks: Rabbit McVey's goal with only thirty-five seconds to go, enabled Turner Valley Okotoks Imperials to secure a 2-2 draw with the Calgary Bronks in a Southern Alberta senior amateur hockey league game at Okotoks on Monday night. Ten minutes overtime failed to break the deadlock.

MODERATION or PROHIBITION ?

The Moderation League of Alberta, an incorporated body by Act of the Provincial Legislature, claims that moderation is the only safe solution to the liquor problem; and further claims that moderation is exemplified in the present Liquor Control Act of Alberta, which takes nothing from the rights and freedom of the people, preserves the dignity and respect of the laws of the country, and protects the weak from their own folly.

DO NOT SIGN the Prohibition Petition

Moderation League of Alberta, Inc.

Here and There

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Exponents of the Royal and Ancient Game went down to defeat on the Banff Springs Hotel golf course recently when Indian Archery experts played in a nine-hole foursome between two Indian chiefs, Lone Walker and Lone Eagle, and William Thompson, professional on the course and his daughter, Peggy Diggleish, former Alberta lady golf champion. The Indians shot their arrows from the tees while the golfers played in orthodox fashion. The archers "holed in" a four-inch disc standing on end on the cup. Up to the ninth hole the game was tied, but the Indians won the latter with one stroke.

The Plumbers Opera, opening number presented at Banff Springs Hotel by the Alfred Heather Light Opera Company, that is running a summer season at the well-known Rockies resort, proved an unequalled success, while "Tom Tug, the Young Waterman," which followed it, was an even greater hit. The season will run during July and August and a number of 18th century operas with Gilbert and Sullivan and Canadian works will be given.

Every activity of the Canadian Pacific Railway was stressed this year at the National Exhibition at Toronto, which was opened formally by E. W. Beatty, chairman and president of the road. An outstanding feature of the company's exhibit was the model of the new 42,500-ton Empress of Britain, greatest inter-oceanic passenger vessel, launched by the Prince of Wales last June and to be in service between Quebec and Great Britain next year.

More than \$100,000,000 will be spent on the big new tourist hotel in power production now under development in Canada. Although there are other plans for important building projects, none will have a more intimate bearing on the industrial development of Canada than those now contemplated by the power industry.

At the fourth World's Poultry Congress to be held at the Crystal Palace, London, July 22-30, Canada will have a total of 853 birds in competitive entries, also 453 exhibition birds and 214 poultry birds. Exhibits of ducks, geese, pigeons, and rabbits will also be there from the Dominion. Birds from the ranch of H.R.H. the Prince of Wales at Parkside, near High River, Alta., will be among the many interesting exhibits.

The first four months of the current year saw 593 homesteads filed in western Canada than during the same period last year. The increase was furnished almost entirely by Alberta, January 1-15, 1931, Columbia alone had a small gain.

Here and There

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While the Canadian Chamber of Commerce is completing plans for its official tour of China and Japan, leaving Vancouver October 8 on S.S. Empress of Russia, an important group of Japanese manufacturers and merchants is due to arrive at the same port July 25 on board the Empress of Canada for a tour of Canada and the United States.

To remove the prejudices of men, women want to be regarded as their partners and to be rewarded on merit regardless of sex, in the view of Miss Helen Cleveland, of Toronto, holder of a "naam" job with an internationally known bond house and recently elected president of Zonta International at the 10th annual meeting of this worldwide women's organization. With forty members of that body she is taking the Alaska trip aboard S.S. Princess Louise.

The greatest living golfer is Bobby Jones and the most enthusiastic golfer in the world is probably the Emperor of Japan, according to Walter Hagen, colorful U.S. golfer who back aboard S.S. Empress of Russia after a tour of Australia, Japan and China. Both Hagen and Kirkwood, who accompanied him, voiced high appreciation of Japanese golf courses.

Major Ian Hay Bethel, noted author of "The First Hundred Thousand" and many other plays and novels, arrived recently at Quebec aboard S.S. Empress of France for a four week sojourn in the Dominion where he hopes "to fish and do nothing, although I may pick up an idea for a play or something, for one is always on the look out for likely material."

"Land of Heart's Return" is the description of New Brunswick by Samuel Clemens in his Tourist Topics column in the New York American, because it "always turned out to be nice in reality than anybody said it was on paper."

A million dollar contract has been offered the Torbanite Products Co., Ltd., of New Glasgow, for Torbanite residue as it comes from the Gintarret. This order comprises 250,000 tons at \$4 a ton and becomes effective sixty days from July 5.

Nova Scotia fisheries in 1929 had a product valued at \$11,655,491 according to a report issued by the Dominion Bureau of Statistics. Value of the preceding year's catch was placed at \$12,564,553.

Prospects are that Canada will this year advance into second place among the gold-producing countries of the world. South Africa holds first place and United States second. Last year the value of gold produced in Canada was approximately \$10,000,000. This year it is expected to be about \$20,000,000.

HEAD HURT?

WORK won't wait for a headache to wear off. Don't look for sympathy at such times, but get some Aspirin. It never fails.

Don't be a chronic sufferer from headaches, or any other pain. See a doctor and get at the cause. Meantime, don't play martyr. There's always quick comfort in Aspirin. It never does any harm. Isn't it foolish to suffer any needless pain? It may be only a simple headache, or it may be neuralgia or neuritis. Rheumatism. Lumbago. Aspirin is still the sensible thing to take. There is hardly any ache or pain these tablets can't relieve; they are a great comfort to women who suffer periodically; they are



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Buy the box that says Aspirin and has Genuine printed in red. Genuine Aspirin tablets do not depress the heart. All druggists.

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Wheat.

Wheat, at the present time, bulks larger in the eyes of the people of Canada, in the east as well as in the west, than ever before. The word "wheat" is on everybody's tongue; it is the outstanding subject discussed by railway executives, bank presidents in their annual statements, manufacturers, wholesalers, statesmen and politicians alike. It never before, the Canadian people have now awakened to the fact that wheat is the most potent factor in the commercial, economic, financial life of this Dominion; that it is the country's very life blood upon the flow of which its prosperity, if, indeed, not its present existence depends.

The industries of Eastern Canada languish because western agriculture is in difficulty, severe difficulty. The east is beginning to remember, what perhaps it had forgotten, that in years past when its cities and towns were growing in population and wealth, when its factories were busy and working overtime, when new industries were being established and large additions to plant made to existing ones, were the years in which western Canada was prosperous. It was the enormous west and increasing purchasing power of the west that made eastern industry hum.

Now that western wheat is in the doldrums, a drug on the world's markets, which it is impossible to sell at a price that will even cover the costs of production, not to mention any profit to the producer, the whole country is suffering. This condition cannot long continue; it must change, and because this is so, because a way out must be found, and therefore will be found, western farmers can entertain hopes for the future.

Whatever happens to Canadian-grown wheat on the market, it still retains its pre-eminent quality. It remains the finest wheat in the world, and because this is so the present situation is all the more tragic. The outstanding quality and pre-eminence of western Canada's wheat as against demonstrated this year when once again the world's championship was won by an Alberta farmer.

It is twenty years since the wheat championship competition was inaugurated, and during those twenty years the three prairie provinces of Canada have carried off the championship no less than sixteen times, Saskatchewan winning it ten times, Alberta five times, and Manitoba once. In the other four years the honor went to one individual state across the line, —Montana.

This is a wonderful record for western Canada. It speaks volumes not only for our climate and the fertility of our soil, but for the enterprise of our farmers, their patience and skill. It has meant the use of good seed; it has given an impulse to the art of scientific cultivation; it has meant millions of dollars to hundreds of farmers whose names never appear in the prize-winning class, but who have been encouraged to adopt and follow right methods, and to sow only good, clean, registered seed in their fields.

It has added vigor to the fight against noxious weeds, insect pests, rust, and other factors operating against the production of the highest quality wheat. It has encouraged the scientists in their task of developing new and better varieties, earlier ripening varieties, frost and rust resistant strains.

These things may, at the moment, seem of little account to hundreds of farmers who are making a real struggle to meet their obligations and find the necessities of life for themselves and their families. But the fact remains that the industry of agriculture in western Canada rests on a solid and enduring foundation; it is the superstructure involved in present production costs, transportation costs, marketing difficulties, general world conditions of over-production and loss of purchasing power wherein the trouble of today lies. Those things can, must, and ultimately will be rectified.

And Now Codfish Shoes

Shoes made of codfish skin, tanned like leather, are to be part of women's wardrobe this winter. A concern in Lynn, Mass., has started work on salesmen's samples. The shoes suggest the lines of the sacred cod, with its eyes and gills, fins and tail, as well as the scaly markings. The linings are of deep blue, suggesting the ocean, and the laces are like fish lines, the ends being tipped with imitation hooks.



"Let us wait until the torchlight procession has passed." —Das Lustige Schach, Leipzig.

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Hints To Grain Exhibitors

Advice In Respect To Entries At World's Grain Exhibition

Hints given to prospective grain exhibitors at the World's Grain Exhibition and Conference, at Regina, in 1932 by Cecil Tice, secretary of the British Columbia committee, include the following: (1) Exhibits must reach Regina on or before March 1st, 1932; (2) Transportation charges must be prepaid; (3) All exhibits must bear the name of the variety. This is often omitted at fairs, causing needless confusion and loss of time; (4) Only one entry may be made in any one class, although exhibitors may enter in as many classes as desired; (5) Exhibits may be taken from any year's crop.

Planning Long Air Line

One of the longest airlines in the world, linking Berlin and Tokio, is a possibility, according to reports reaching here from the Japanese Aviation Bureau of the Ministry of Communications. The line as discussed now would be operated from Tokio to Hong Kong by the Japanese, over India by England, and the rest of the way by Germany.

FAMOUS GERMAN SCIENTIST



Prof. Albert Einstein, famous German scientist who is visiting this continent, is seen above with his daughter, Margot, immediately following her marriage to Dimitri Marianoff, Russian scientist and author, in Berlin.

Fastest Warship Launched

Nothing Can Outdistance Destroyer Built By British Navy

The New York Times publishes the following special cable from London, England:

What is believed to be the fastest warship in the world has just completed her trials for the British navy, reaching a speed of 40 knots at times without pressing her machinery in any way.

This is the new destroyer "Flotilla leader," "Cordrington," 1,520 tons, completed last June at the Swan and Hunter shipyard in Glasgow.

Nothing in the other navies have been produced to out-distance this British whippet, which with a full load could streak across the Atlantic, in three and a half days if top speed could be maintained.

Approve Federal Plan

Alberta Horse Breeders' Association Endorse Policy For Assistance To Livestock Members

Approval of plans announced by the federal minister of agriculture for advancement of the livestock industry by assisted distribution of purchased sires, was voiced in resolution passed by the Alberta Provincial Horse Breeders' Association in annual convention at Edmonton. The proposal to purchase several of the best stallions of draft breeds and the revival of the bull-leasing policy were specially commended as well as extension of the thoroughbred horse station policy.

Strangled With Asthma is the only expression that seems to convey what is endured from an attack of this trouble. The relief from Dr. J. D. Kellogg's Asthma Remedy is beyond measure. Where all was suffering there comes comfort and rest. Breathing becomes normal and the bronchial tubes completely cleared. This unequalled remedy is worth many times its price to all who use it.

National Park On Georgian Bay

Flower Port Island, part of an Indian reserve in Georgian Bay, has been purchased by the Department of the Interior, for National Park purposes. Announcement to this effect was made by Sir George Perley, acting prime minister. The sale price is fixed by appraisers.



"But, sir, there is no cause for complaint. The best people stay at this hotel."
"Well, I am used to different hotels."
"Yes, sir, but I didn't think you wanted anybody to know." —Filipende Blasetter, Munich.

Ties Of Empire

Ideal Has Never Been Stronger In The Hearts Of The People

"It is unthinkable that we should lose Canada and if the Dominion had her way there would be little danger," declared Sir William Crawford, president of the Publicity club of London, England, which discussed the question: "Shall we lose Canada?"

"At no time in the history of our country," said Sir William, "has the ideal of empire been stronger in the hearts of our people."
The meeting was addressed by P. W. Field, his majesty's senior trade commissioner in Canada and Newfoundland. Mr. Field said British exporters must expect increasing competition from Canadian producers in many trades and he showed that the United States exercised a great influence over the Canadian market. The Americans had established a thousand factories in the Dominion and, in the face of this strenuous competition, only the most efficient business methods by British firms would enable Britain to remain in the field.

Mr. Field agreed that Canadian tariff changes which had come into operation since May would, undoubtedly, limit British business, but he believed it was still possible to obtain a large share of Canada's import trade by strengthening and revising methods.

Restoration Of Chinese Credit

This Would Have a Most Favorable Effect On The Wheat Market

Rehabilitation of Chinese credit would have a decidedly favorable effect on the wheat market, J. I. McFarland, general manager of the Central Selling Agency of the Canadian Wheat Pool, stated in Ottawa. Mr. McFarland was commenting on reports from Washington that the British Government had entered into discussions looking toward re-establishment of credit in China.

Prior to the recent drop in the price of silver, Mr. McFarland said, China had become a large importer of Canadian grain.

Miller's Worm Powder will drive worms from the system without injury to the child. The powder is so easy to take that the most delicate stomach can assimilate them and welcome them as speedy easers of pain, because they promptly remove the worms that cause the pain, and thus the suffering of the child is relieved. With an astringent remedy at hand no child should suffer an hour from worms.

Export Of Apples

Four steamers loaded 38,837 barrels of apples at the Port of Halifax for British and Continental markets during the week ended November 30th, bringing the exports for the year to 500,351 barrels. The latter total compares with 568,182 barrels for the corresponding period of last year.

Cotton picking in Argentine this season is expected to start February 15.

Spanish moss is really a member of the pineapple family of flowering plants.



Famous Sheep Farmer Leaves For England

William Darnbrough Has Been In Saskatchewan Twenty-Six Years

Famous throughout the American continent as one of the Dominion's leading sheep farmers and renowned for his many victories in the grain classes at Toronto Royal and Chicago International shows, William Darnbrough, of Laura, Saskatchewan, has given up his farming interest there and left for his old home in Yorkshire, England. Mr. Darnbrough will return, however, for the World's Grain Show to be held in Regina in 1932.

Coming to Saskatchewan in 1904 without any knowledge of farming, Mr. Darnbrough quickly established a farm second to none in the district and he attained prominence as a sheep breeder. Since the war he has won an unbroken string of successes with his sheep and grain at the biggest shows on the continent.

Albert Robbins, another prominent Laura farmer, has taken over the Darnbrough holdings.

Volcanic Eruption In Java

Between 300 and 400 Persons Reported To Have Perished

A Rotterdam despatch to the London Daily Mail asserts that between 300 and 400 persons were killed in the eruption of Merapi volcano in Java last week.

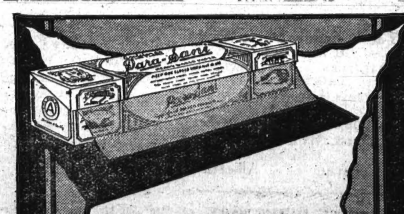
Ashes and lava shot out from Merapi after the mountain had been comparatively quiet for eight years, and early reports asserted that at least 80 persons were killed as a great river of white hot lava flowed down the slopes.

Those who died were working in the fields and were surprised by the rapidity of the flow, hence had no time to escape.

In the meantime the volcano itself was an awe-inspiring sight, for huge columns of smoke belled up from the crater and vivid flames flashed out like lightning from time to time. Forests were set afire by the sweeping wall of lava and many villages were evacuated.

Praise For Sir Arthur Currie

"No words can express the gratitude felt by the British Legion to Sir Arthur Currie and his colleagues for their kindness to members of the British Legion and their families when they arrived as settlers in Canada," said the Earl of Jellicoe, head of the British Legion, when he spoke at a luncheon given Sir Arthur Currie by the Empire Service League in London, England.



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BOYD NOW PLANS FLIGHT ACROSS THE DOMINION

New York—Canada is keeping pace with world-wide progress in aviation and her future is assured.

This is not the treasured belief of an over-enthusiastic patriot nor the silly spun theory of a dreamer. It is the positive assertion of Canada's conqueror of the Atlantic—Captain J. Errol Boyd—who flew from Newfoundland to England in the drab days of last autumn.

Not only in personnel, airports, knowledge and government encouragement of aviation does Canada rank with other nations, says Captain Boyd. She holds the solution to the vexatious problem of proper departure and converging points for trans-oceanic flights, both Atlantic and Pacific.

The jovial aviator who piloted the ancient Columbia across the Atlantic with Lieutenant Harry Connor, of the United States, as his aide, is in New York during the holiday season, but he is hard at work. Plans are being laid for his proposed non-stop flight across Canada. With J. A. O'Brien, personal friend and adviser, who backed his flight to England, Captain Boyd is conferring with Giuseppe Bellanca, designer of the veteran Columbia, and hopes soon to return to Canada where he will complete preparations for the construction of a new craft.

Reliability as well as speed of 200 miles per hour is sought by Boyd for his non-stop flight next spring. At first he planned a two-stop journey to establish further what he believes are the sound commercial possibilities in an ocean-to-ocean route. But he is now convinced that with the proper type of plane, a non-stop flight is feasible and at the same time a decided incentive to the establishment of regular air routes across the Dominion.

Boyd is a tried veteran of the air. He has flown the mapped air lines of both this continent and Europe. But so imbued is the Canadian flyer with the assured development and future possibilities of aviation in his own country, he has decided, he told the Canadian Press, to make his permanent home in Montreal. And with this assertion, he added his praise of the St. Hubert airport, which, he declared flatly, "ranks second to none I have visited."

Captain Boyd speculated briefly of motor development in aviation. In five years, he believed, Diesel engines will be used in planes of much greater size than we know today. There will be an engine room where attendants can move freely about. Passengers can expect every accommodation they now receive on Pullman trains. In matter of size, Captain Boyd sees the D-O-X as only a forerunner of the aeroplanes of the future.

Boyd's flight across Canada next spring will be a "down-to-earth" attempt. He plans to take off from Vancouver, flying over Nelson and Fernie in British Columbia. Speeding into Alberta, he will pass over Lechbridge and Medicine Hat, then, in Saskatchewan, he will take his eastward course above Swift Current, Moose Jaw and Regina. Brandon and Winnipeg will see him as he traverses Manitoba. Following the north country in Ontario, he will pass over Kenora, Nipigon, Sudbury, North Bay and Ottawa. Then—Saint John, his goal. Earlier plans called for stops at Winnipeg and Montreal, but, as Boyd now says, "It's going to be Vancouver to Saint John, all in one jump, and I hope I could Frank Hawks in his Los Angeles to New York hop."

For World's Speed Record

Capt. Malcolm May Use Shores Of Great Salt Lake

London, England.—The shores of the Great Salt Lake in Utah may be the scene of Captain Malcolm Campbell's next dash for the world's speed record.

Captain Campbell proposes a trial at Daytona Beach in 1931, and is considering proceeding from there to Utah.

The beach of Utah's salty inland sea he believes well suited for speed record trials, for one being less exposed to wind and tide.

Song Writer Dies

New York.—Charles K. Harris, song writer and music publisher, author of "After the Ball," one of the most popular songs ever written, died of heart failure after an illness of three weeks. He was 65.

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Session To Deal With Radio

Will Take Definite Action On Situation In Canada

Ottawa, Ont.—Definite action will likely be taken at the next session of parliament to deal with the radio situation in Canada. Hon. Alfred Durand, Minister of Marine, whose department has jurisdiction over radio, is giving careful consideration to the question, which is, admittedly, pressing.

He will submit his recommendations to the cabinet which in turn will reach a decision as to the policy to be adopted.

NEW AIR MAIL LINK THROUGH U. S. ARRANGED

Ottawa, Ont.—With the approval of the government of an arrangement between post office departments in Canada and the United States for a new air mail link between Winnipeg, Minneapolis and St. Paul, plans are being pushed forward for a service that will shorten by two days the movement of mail between Eastern and Western Canada. Announcement came as a climax to negotiations which have been going on for some weeks between P. T. Coolican, Canadian assistant deputy postmaster-general, and W. I. Glover, assistant postmaster-general in the United States.

The agreement between the two countries solves the problem that has arisen as a result of the difficult flying area between Manitoba and Ontario points. Mail will now reach Eastern Canada from Winnipeg via St. Paul, Detroit and Toronto.

The new flights are expected to begin about February 1. Mail will be transferred at the border from and to the machines of whatever Canadian company receives the contract.

Particular significance is attached to the recent amalgamation of aviation companies in the Canadian Airways, Limited, with Sir Henry Thornton, president of the Canadian National Railways, and E. W. Beatty, K.C., president of the Canadian Pacific Railway, on the board of control.

Rescued By Dog-Driver

Defiant Thrown Whip Lash Saves Man

Prince Albert, Sask.—Urring all of the whiplash of Clarke Cheney, veteran dog-driver of the north, saved the life of a tractor driver at Lac La Ronge. The tractor driver was hauling a "swing" of fish across Lac La Ronge, 200 miles north of here, when the machine plunged through the ice. Cheney, witness of the accident, halted his dog team, uncoupled the long, smoky dog whip and whirled it toward the tractor driver who grasped the lash and was hauled to safety.

Will Serve In British Navy

Senior Naval Officer At Halifax

Ottawa, Ont.—Commander V. G. Brodeur, R.C.N., senior naval officer at Halifax, N.S., is proceeding to England on January 2, according to a memorandum issued from the department of national defence. Commander Brodeur will serve for some time with the Royal Navy.

Lieut. B. Shadforth, Vancouver division of the Royal Canadian Naval Reserve, is appointed as from Jan. 2 to the naval depot ship, H.M.C.S. Janina, at Esquimalt, B.C., for 28 days training.

Renew Censorship In India

New Delhi, India.—Lord Irwin, Viceroy of India, has issued instructions which have the effect of renewing, with certain changes, the press censorship ordinance and also the unauthorized news-sheets and newspapers ordinance, both of which have recently expired. The Viceroy also promulgated an ordinance concerning the liabilities for non-payment of taxes.

U.S. Gas Prices Cut

New York.—The Standard Oil Co. of New York has made a general reduction in gasoline prices throughout its territory, embracing New York and New England. In New York city the price was reduced one cent a gallon, making the tank wagon price 11.3 cents not including the two-cent state tax. In some parts the cut amounted to two cents and in a few localities to three cents.

Farmers Selling Horses

Large Number Purchased For Canning Plant In U.S.

Ravenscar, Sask.—A large number of horses have been sold at Ravenscar, recently, the most of them being purchased by men from the United States, then driven to Great Falls, Montana, where they are to be slaughtered and then canned.

The horses ranged in age from four to 20 years old, and some of them were excellent farm horses. Roy Stewart sold 43 animals at this sale, and among them were a number of good horses. Farmers of the district are getting rid of some of their horses at this price in order to get a little money to tide them over the depression period.

Long Service Record

Winnipeg, Man.—George Arnold who for 58 years has been on runs on passenger trains out of Montreal, has concluded the longest service ever achieved by a railway conductor in Canada, according to word received here by officials of the Canadian National Railways. The veteran conductor retired at the age of 77.

A SOLUTION OF INDIAN PROBLEM IS STILL SOUGHT

London, England.—The prime minister of Britain and two women of India united their voices in urging the Hindu and Moslem elements at the round-table conference to come to an agreement on the question of minorities and their representation in the parliament of the new India.

"Settlement of the minorities question," insisted Mr. Ramsay MacDonald, "is essential to the political progress of India. It is not merely a British view. It is the view held by every enlightened Indian, irrespective of the community to which he belongs."

"It is a question," said the prime minister, "which should be settled by the Indians themselves. It will avail you nothing to start work on an Indian constitution and to ask any outside authority to dictate one of the essential conditions of the successful working of that constitution—namely, the degree and proportion of racial representation."

"The time for emotional speeches has passed," said the Beibum Sham Nawas, a Moslem. "The time for practical proposals and for solid, constructive work has arrived."

"Now that the all-important matter of decision has come," she continued, "is it that you remain divided in your own ranks?"

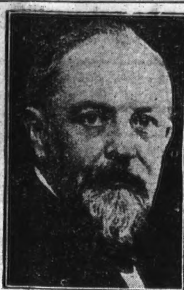
Mr. Subbarayan, a Hindu, said: "Whatever our creeds, we are all Indians."

ALL ABOARD FOR SOUTH AMERICA



The first passenger ship ever to leave a Canadian port for South America—the new Canadian National liner "Prince Robert"—sails from Halifax on March 2, 1931, with a party of Canadian trade delegates, their wives and others pleasure bound. The Canadians will visit several Latin American countries. Special attention will be paid to Buenos Aires, capital of the Argentine, where the Prince of Wales will open the British Empire Fair which will spread over 25 acres of ground and which will include a handsome Canadian pavilion and seven other Empire show buildings. Pictured here are Angus McLean, president of the Canadian Chamber of Commerce, pointing to the "Prince Robert's" chief port of call, and Elmer Davis, president of the Canadian Manufacturers' Association. These two organizations and the Canadian Government are responsible for Canada's part at the fair, one of the largest of its kind ever held in the world. Both Mr. Davis and Mr. McLean and their wives will make the trip.

NEW FRENCH CABINET



Theodore Steeg, who, upon request of President Doumergue, has formed new French cabinet, which has into first difficulties in withdrawal of two undersecretaries just as new cabinet was about to be presented to president.—Copyright, Pacific and Atlantic Photos Inc.

Punjab Governor Wounded

Hindu Student Is Alleged To Have Fired Shot

Lahore, India.—Sir Geoffrey de Montmorency, governor of the Punjab, was wounded by bullets from the revolver of a youth who fatally wounded a native police official at the same time.

The police officer, sub-inspector Chanan Singh, died in a hospital where he was taken after he was struck by a stray shot. A woman physician also was hit by a stray bullet, but received only minor injury.

It was the second time that Sir Geoffrey had been shot at and the attempted slaying occurred just a year from the day that an attempt was made to bomb a train carrying the viceroy, Lord Irwin and Lady Irwin, to New Delhi.

The Punjab governor had attended a convocation of the University of Lahore, and was leaving the Senate Hall, when a young man among the spectators, said to be a Punjab Hindu student, fired four shots at his point blank. Sir Geoffrey was grazed in the neck and hip.

He was taken to a hospital where his wounds were dressed and he walked home a few minutes later smoking a cigarette.

The assailant was immediately arrested and with him another youth who sprang to his side when the shots were fired.

Is Awarded Claim

Ottawa, Ont.—In a British Columbia case involving the sale of the Big Missouri Mine in the Salmon River district, the Supreme Court of Canada awarded William P. Harris, of Port Angeles, Washington, the sum of \$50,000 from the \$250,000 realized.

Liberals Win By Election

Government Candidate Loses By Narrow Margin At Estevan

Estevan, Sask.—In the most bewildering by-election ever held in this seat or probably in any constituency in Saskatchewan, Norman McLeod, Liberal, secured a majority of five votes over David McKnight, Conservative, when the outcome of the poll was finally made known. It was the heaviest vote ever recorded in an Estevan election, provincial or federal.

Thus Estevan remains in the Liberal column, and the Opposition still has 28 seats in the Saskatchewan legislature, as compared with the Anderson government's strength of 24 Conservatives, six Independents and five Progressives. That the Government side will demand a recount is virtually assured.

Wheat Shipment To China

Largest Single Cargo Of Wheat To Leave Canadian Port

Vancouver, B.C.—What is claimed to be the largest single cargo of Canadian wheat to leave a Canadian port will be loaded here for Shanghai direct, in a Canadian-American-Lake steamship "Chief Capilano" within the next few days.

The ship will take on 490,000 bushels, or 14,700 tons, and is expected to clear for the Orient by January 5. Some three months ago the "Chief Capilano" carried a cargo of 13,000 tons of wheat to China, this constituting the largest shipment ever made from a Pacific Coast port.

The ship was chartered on a basis of \$3 per ton, and will commence loading early this week.

European Nations

Sign Tariff Pact

Six Agree Not To Raise Rates Without Consultation

Oslo, Norway.—Convention binding six European nations not to raise existing rates nor introduce new ones without consulting one another has been signed and is viewed as a development of great importance in the economic affairs of northern Europe.

The signature of the treaty for "economic approachment" by representatives of Norway, Sweden, Holland, Belgium, Denmark and Luxembourg was announced by the Norwegian premier and Foreign Minister John Ludwig Mowinkel.

BORDER CITIES WANT ACTION ON MIGRATION LAW

Ottawa, Ont.—Misunderstanding and ill-will between two friendly people are developing from the actions of the United States Bureau of Immigration in violating, by means of "finely-drawn technicalities," the agreement of 1927, according to a delegation from the Border Cities Chamber of Commerce who saw the prime minister here.

By applying new regulations governing the entry of commuters between the Border Cities and Detroit, the United States authorities have broken the spirit of the three-year-old agreement, and in such a manner as to diminish commuting from 15,573 in the year 1927, to 3,600 in December this year. The delegation charged that the United States officials had again launched "an organized and determined campaign of debarment," and as a result of this onslaught additional Canadians were every day being prohibited entry into the United States for a period of 12 months.

To remedy such a condition of things, the delegation asked the prime minister to make representations through the Canadian legation at Washington for reinstatement by the United States Bureau of Immigration of all those commuters who have been debarred by technicalities.

A second suggestion is that Canada negotiate a treaty with the United States which will clearly define the rights of Canadian and United States citizens in relation to this problem.

The third recommendation to the prime minister suggested "that the Dominion government in any case rapidly develop its local policy to encourage the manufacture of goods in Canada which are now produced in the United States, thus providing additional employment in Canada."

The prime minister gave sympathetic hearing to the representations of the Border Cities men, promising to take up the matter through the Canadian charge d'affaires at Washington.

TRAPPERS LOST IN LONE REACHES OF FAR NORTH

Winnipeg, Man.—Silence of the "Crooked Knife" country in far north-western Alberta today holds the solution of three hardy trappers of Canada and police officers have plunged into the timberland. Since 1923 Indians this bleak corner of the foothills province searching for "lost men," but they have returned trail-weary and discouraged.

"Crooked Knife" is the Indian name for Bischo Lake in the extreme northwestern corner of Alberta, 200 miles north of Fort Vermilion on the Peace River. The lake is at the headwaters of the Black River, a tributary of the Liard. The surrounding country is wild and rough, known by few men on the trails, and but partially explored by the wandering Indian.

In the winter of 1923, Ray Holmes, veteran hunter of the fur-bearing folk, dared the stretches of the territory of Bischo Lake. He never returned and searching trappers believed he had been drowned in the lake or in the Black River, a stream of dark, murky waters.

In the spring of 1925 word was brought to police that a man named Walker had disappeared while tending his trap-line during the winter months. Nearly the whole summer was spent by officers and Indian guides in a painstaking search. Walker's rifle and pack were found on the shores of a little lake.

The territory was combed, the lake dragged, but the "Crooked Knife" country retained the secret of the trapper's whereabouts. Search was abandoned and Walker's name added to the toll of the north.

A trap-line was strung early this winter on the shores of the Black River by Victor Erickson, for years a member of the little band of men who cover the frozen trails. Erickson was considered wise in the ways of the north, but his name is the third added to those claimed by this wild, silent section of the barrens.

His dog trotted into Lake Bischo's peat, driven there. It was the signal for another quest for victim of the trails. The men of the north-west settlement sought diligently for Erickson but to no avail. The veteran trapper's body, his rifle, lies somewhere beneath the ice on the swift-flowing waters of the Black River.

Outstanding Journalist Dead

C. A. C. Jennings Was Chief Editor Of Toronto Mail and Empire Twenty-Nine Years

Toronto, Ont.—One of Canada's outstanding journalists, Claud A. C. Jennings, chief editor of The Mail and Empire, Toronto morning newspaper, during the last 29 years, and a member of the editorial staff for 38 years, died suddenly at his home here, Dec. 22.

He left his office shortly after 6 o'clock to go home for dinner, but on arriving there he complained of pains and constriction in his chest. Taking to his bed, he sank rapidly and died before medical aid arrived.

Tributes from leading men in all walks of life poured into the Jennings' home. From Canada's prime minister, Hon. R. B. Bennett, from Ontario's premier, Hon. George S. Henry, and from Hon. G. H. Ferguson, former provincial premier, came messages of regret and tribute, as well as from other associates in political, church and journalistic fields.

Mr. Jennings started his newspaper career with a local trade publication after spending some years at a school career. He was born in the tiny hamlet of Cashel, in Mackinaw township.

Banff Winter Carnival

Winnipeg, Man.—Motorcycle skiing, its thrills and spills, is one of the new features promised for Banff winter carnival, February 7 to 14. Enthusiasm in several instances has been aroused for the motorcycle and have already acquired speed and balance at a 45-mile an hour clip with automobiles, a record they hope to beat with motorcycles before the carnival date.

Will Produce Nitrate

Vancouver, B.C.—Nitrate which in the past has been brought all the way to Canada from the mines of Chile will soon be produced in large quantities in British Columbia, as one of the chemical fertilizers to be turned out by the new plant of the Consolidated Mining and Smelting Company at Trail, B.C.

CARD OF THANKS

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Galvon desire through the Enterprise to thank their many friends for expressions of sympathy with them in the loss of their baby son, Edward Lawrence, aged 11 months and 3 weeks. They also extend their thanks to Dr. Stewart for kindness.

The following flowers are acknowledged: Mamma, Daddy and Brothers, Grandma, Mr. and Mrs. M. Panik, Mr. and Mrs. T. M. Kubik, Mr. and Mrs. J. Kubik, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. J. Gandy, Mr. and Mrs. Gillis and family, the Olivier children, Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Hill, Mrs. V. Kubik, Ethel Kubik, Mr. and Mrs. J. Patterson and family.

The sum of \$450,000 has been paid this year by the Government of Nova Scotia to the school teachers of the province. These payments have been made under the grant known as provincial aid, or commonly as the Teachers' Government Grant. This subsidy, which is, of course, in addition to the annual salary paid by school sections, is increasing yearly at the rate of between \$15,000 and \$20,000. The sum paid individual teachers varies from \$75 to \$340 yearly, according to class of license held and length of service. This graduation in provincial aid is a stimulus to the teacher to raise her class of license, and many teachers are now taking advantage of the free correspondence courses.

Fifty thousand Welsh miners are on strike in Wales.

Opportunities lie on every hand. So do a lot of people.

Miss Milda Bond spent the Christmas vacation with her parents here.

J. R. McLeod, of The Enterprise staff, spent the Yuletide at his home near Fernie.

Dr. J. Olivier came down from Creston on Christmas Eve to spend a couple of holidays with his family.

Mr. A. Hamilton, former Blairmore citizen, has been elected alderman in the city of Drumheller.

Judging from certain activities of so-called authorities nowadays, we believe there is such a thing as persecution.

The town of Warner suffered to the extent of \$60,000 in a fire that swept part of the business section on Christmas Eve.

James M. Sloan, of Calgary, has been appointed Alberta representative of Copeland-Chatterton Limited, Brampton, Ontario.

Mrs. Beatrice McFarland, of Calgary, spent a few days here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Baird, en route to spend a vacation at points south to Portland.

Miss Lena Fraser, who is teaching near Seven Persons, returned to her duties by last night's train, after spending Christmas with her mother here.

Local and General Items

Remember to write it 1-9-31.

The clothes that make the woman are the ones that shake the man.

Miss Jessie McVey came down from Calgary to spend Christmas at home.

Mr. F. Knapman spent the Christmas holidays with his parents and sisters here.

Gold hoarding is blamed for the drop in world prices. Well, they can't blame us for it.

Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Granger and son Billie spent Christmas with relatives and friends in Calgary.

Mrs. Eleanor Malcolmson, of Edmonton, is a holiday guest here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Farmer.

Mr. A. Comfort, of Creston, was the guest for a few days of the Christmas season of Mr. and Mrs. Ithamer Comfort here.

The many Pass friends of Rev. Dr. C. C. McLaurin will regret to learn that he is a patient in the Royal Alexandra hospital at Calgary.

Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Morgan, of Blairmore, and Mr. and Mrs. Richard Morgan, of Pincher Creek, left yesterday on an extended holiday trip to southern points.

A pair of ladies' gloves, ladies' scarf, gent's scarf, gent's cap, etc., left at the opera house after the Elks' dance on New Year's eve, may be had by getting in touch with Rod. McLeod at The Enterprise.

Messrs. A. B. Steeves, of Cranbrook, and Milt Ray, of Fernie, stopped off for an hour or so in Blairmore on Wednesday evening, returning from Edmonton, where they attended the annual meeting of drummers of the Swift Canadian Co.

A carload of high-grade Hereford heifers was loaded at Lundbreck this week by the Rock Creek Hereford Ranch for Clayton E. Korke, of the Rockthorn Ranch, Saskatchewan. This is the second car of breeding stock shipped to the same place this year.

The highest advertising rate of any periodical in the country is charged by Ladies' Home Journal, which is \$9500 for a full page, Woman's Home Companion rate is \$9400; Delicater, \$9200; Pictorial Review and McCall's Magazine, \$8800 each; Saturday Evening Post which has largest circulation \$8000; Collier's \$5500; True Story \$4500, and Liberty \$4250.

Jack Eddy, of Beaver Mines, while in the act of taking a team of horses from a stable here recently, was crushed against a post by one of the animals, suffering internal injuries that will likely lay him up for some time. Though in a very weakened condition, he was taken to his home on Wednesday evening of last week.

A change in chief dispatchers at the Lethbridge C.P.R. divisional offices became effective yesterday, with the arrival of E. A. Wheelan, formerly chief dispatcher at Edmonton. The change has been brought about through the abolishment of the Cranbrook division of the C.P.R. Mr. Wheelan displaces R. G. Sutherland, who has been chief dispatcher in Lethbridge since December, 1929.

Those who knew Rev. J. L. Wright, who on account of ill health found it necessary to retire for a while from the active work of the ministry, will be glad to learn that he is much improved in health—"never so well since the war as now"—and that he is looking forward with keenest anticipation to the resumption of his much-loved work after the next conference. He, Mrs. Wright and family have been living since their brief retirement at Spring Point, where they have built for themselves a little home.

WANTED To Rent Piano. Enquire at The Enterprise Office.

Good alibis are unsatisfactory substitutes for poor business.

Fire at Shubenacadie, Nova Scotia, on December the 14th, did damage estimated at \$175,000.

Miss Evelyn Bennett spent the Yuletide holidays here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Bennett.

Something that has never happened in Alberta: Down in Boston, five men died from drinking bad booze.

Mr. Al. W. Robbins has opened a flour and feed store in the building formerly occupied by the Blairmore Cafe.

The Elks' seventh annual ball took place in the opera house on New Year's Eve and was voted by all who attended the best yet.

Robert Gray left by Sunday morning's train for Vancouver, to spend a brief holiday with his family. He was accompanied by George Sangster.

Two interesting games of the Crow League series were played on Friday last, Blairmore winning from Bellevue 5-3, and Pincher losing to Coleman 3-1.

The Gibeau residence, at the junction of the old Hillcrest road immediately east of the Frank Slide, was destroyed by fire of unknown origin on Christmas morning.

Dr. and Mrs. Hynes had as their guests during the holidays, Miss M. Soames, of Calgary; Miss Maloney, of Calgary, and Miss Lorraine Olivier, of Blairmore.—Clareholm Local Press.

Mike Moxin, the popular proprietor of the Oxford hotel at High River, had the misfortune on December 23 to slip and fall while playing with his little daughter in the hotel rounds, snapping a bone in his leg just above the ankle.

The death occurred suddenly at Fernie on Tuesday of last week of Mrs. Sadie Rahal at the ripe age of 74 years. She leaves three sons, Edward at Vancouver, Nicholas and John, of Fernie; and three daughters, Mrs. Haddad, Cranbrook, Mrs. Lindenberg and Miss Mary Rahal, of Fernie.

A certain clergyman noted for his activities as a temperance advocate, is at present the recipient of many smiles in his village. The Sunday school children were singing "Little Drops of Water, Little Grains of Sand." "Come, now," said the clergyman, "Try it again. Now! Little Drops of Water"—and put some spirit into it.

The Rev. J. K. Curtis, D.D., of Sarnia, Ontario, formerly of St. John's, Newfoundland, in the course of a sermon December 7th, gave expression to a scathing condemnation of the works of Sinclair Lewis, and especially of his "Main Street" and "Elmer Gantry," neither of which gives a fair picture of American social or religious life. It is now generally admitted that "Elmer Gantry" is a travesty of American church life, and a cowardly and ignorant attack on the Christian ministry.

We have been asked by a number of citizens, including parents of children attending the Blairmore west ward school, to make reference to the manner in which, one member of the local Alberta police detachment has been in the habit of speeding through Blairmore. The claim is liable to be made that such speeding is necessitated through duty, but this is not always the case. Police officers are expected to check up those who drive to the common danger, and we should look to the police, once in a while at least, to show an example of safe driving.

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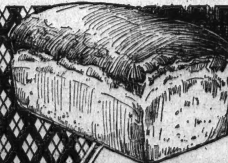
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